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INTERNATIONAL PRICE DEVELOPMENTS

EXPORTS TO USSR DOWN SHARPLY IN FISCAL 1975: RECORD
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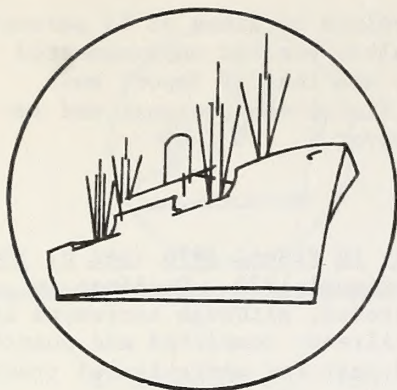
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Digest

July-August 1975 Agricultural Exports Up Slightly From Last Year (see p. 5). U.S. farm exports were valued at \$3.13 billion during July-August 1975, compared with \$3.08 billion during the same months last year. Wheat and soybean exports increased in both value and volume. Export volume declined for corn, rice, cotton, and tobacco. Exports to the USSR were valued at \$133 million during July-August.

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U.S. Agricultural Imports Fell 17 Percent in July-August 1975 (see p. 41). Lower prices and smaller volume caused the value of agricultural imports to fall to \$1.45 billion, 17 percent below the July-August 1974 level. Sugar imports were down more than 40 percent in both value and volume. Coffee imports were substantially above year-earlier levels. Significant increases in import volume also occurred for palm oil and palm kernel oil, meats, bananas, and tobacco. U.S. imports of rubber, coconut oil, and wine dropped in volume.

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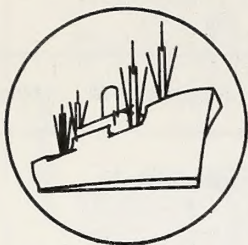
U.S. Agricultural Exports to the Arabian Peninsula Soar (see p. 54). Spectacular gains in income because of vast petroleum revenues have caused the value for agricultural imports by Arabian Peninsula countries to double in 2 years to a record \$2 billion in 1975. U.S. agricultural exports to these markets in 1975 will be almost triple the value 3 years ago, providing about 12 percent of their total food imports. Marked improvements in diets in oil-rich countries of the Arabian Peninsula countries and rapid population growth--both natural and from immigration--are bolstering the demand for imported food. Over 90 percent of the food supply in Kuwait, Qatar, Bahrain, and the UAE is imported. Saudi Arabia, the leading food importer in the area, imports about two-thirds of its food supply.

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International Price Developments (see p. 82). Despite volume declines of 15 percent for exports and 10 percent for imports in fiscal 1975, values reached unprecedented levels. The index of export unit values rose 14 percent, and that of import unit values was up 10 percent. During the latter half of the fiscal year, export and import unit values of many commodities dropped sharply, however.

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Exports to USSR Down Sharply in Fiscal 1975: Record Likely in Fiscal 1976 (see p. 89). Agricultural exports to the USSR declined sharply during fiscal 1975. Declines in total sales of corn, rye, barley, and soybeans were registered, although increases in sales of citrus fruit, hops, and cattle hides occurred. Already completed and possible future sales to the Soviets may make fiscal 1976 a record year for agricultural trade with that country.



Export Highlights

JULY-AUGUST 1975 AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS UP SLIGHTLY FROM LAST YEAR

During the first 2 months of fiscal year 1976, U.S. farm exports totaled \$3.13 billion, up \$49 million from the same months last fiscal year. Wheat and soybean exports increased in both value and volume. Export volume declined for corn, rice, cotton, and tobacco.

July-August 1975 wheat exports were up about 20 percent from year-earlier value and volume levels, at \$880 million and 5.75 million tons. Export unit value of wheat was \$4.16 per bushel. Major markets for U.S. wheat were India, the USSR, Japan, and Brazil. Wheat exports to the USSR were valued at \$132 million.

The value of U.S. feed grain exports increased to \$664 million in July-August 1975, and export volume rose 1 percent. Feed grain export unit value rose from \$121 per ton to \$124. Japan, Italy, and the Netherlands were the leading markets for U.S. feed grains. No feed grains were shipped to the USSR.

Rice exports were down from last year's level. July-August 1975 exports totaled \$87 million and 473 million pounds. Leading markets were Bangladesh, Korea, and Iran.

Soybean exports totaled \$386 million and 64 million bushels in July-August 1975, compared with \$323 million and 48 million bushels last year. Soybean unit value fell 24 cents to \$5.99 a bushel. Half of the soybeans exported during July-August 1975 were shipped to Japan, the Netherlands, and West Germany.

During July-August 1975, the export value of cotton, including linters, was slightly below the year-earlier level. Exports to the Far East (excluding the People's Republic of China) were up 33 percent in value. Shipments to the Far East, at \$157 million and 608,000 bales, comprised almost nine-tenths of total U.S. cotton exports.

Tobacco exports fell from the July-August 1974 level of \$120 million to \$95 million and volume declined 37 percent. Exports to the European Community were valued at \$40 million, 60 percent of last year's value.

Table 1.--Export quantities and values of selected commodities,
fiscal years 1973/74 and 1974/75 and August 1974 and 1975

Commodity	1973/74	1974/75 <u>1/</u>	August 1974	August 1975
-- 1,000 metric tons --				
Animal products:				
Fats, oils, and greases	1,182	1,208	99	50
Meats and meat products	230	278	23	27
Poultry meat, fresh or frozen	81	79	6	8
Grains:				
Wheat and products	31,258	28,303	2,592	3,114
Feed grains and products	44,156	34,672	2,269	2,829
Rice	1,584	2,295	79	102
Oilseeds and products:				
Soybeans	14,047	11,009	576	910
Protein meal	4,983	4,263	394	353
Vegetable oils and waxes	1,050	1,152	81	36
Other:				
Fruits and preparations <u>2/</u>	1,367	1,511	117	121
Vegetables and preparations <u>3/</u>	1,020	1,194	64	44
Tobacco	313	290	24	18
Cotton	1,241	830	62	73
Feeds and fodders <u>4/</u>	1,377	1,337	96	239
Other agricultural products	---	---	---	---
Total	103,889	88,421	6,482	7,924
-- Million dollars --				
Animal products:				
Fats, oils, and greases	506	487	46	19
Meats and meat products	317	342	27	42
Poultry meat, fresh or frozen	82	73	6	8
Grains:				
Wheat and products	4,738	5,001	405	470
Feed grains and products	4,686	4,813	286	355
Rice	752	1,002	41	41
Oilseeds and products:				
Soybeans	3,254	2,951	151	200
Protein meal	1,135	732	67	57
Vegetable oils and waxes	564	909	62	25
Other:				
Fruits and preparations <u>2/</u>	488	546	44	51
Vegetables and preparations <u>3/</u>	278	395	24	13
Tobacco	814	910	63	59
Cotton	1,294	1,017	71	87
Feeds and fodders <u>4/</u>	179	173	14	13
Other agricultural products	2,206	2,231	145	160
Total	21,293	21,582	1,452	1,600

1/ Preliminary.

2/ Includes fresh fruits, canned fruits, and dried fruits.

3/ Includes fresh vegetables, canned vegetables, and pulses.

4/ Includes prepared animal feeds, corn byproducts, and alfalfa meal and cubes.

Table 2.--U.S. agricultural exports by selected commodities

Commodity	Unit	July-August			August		
		Quantity		Value	Quantity		Value
		1974	1975	1974	1974	1975	1974
		-- Thousands --		-- 1,000 dollars --	-- Thousands --		-- 1,000 dollars --
Animals, live, excluding poultry . . .		---	---	14,398	---	---	7,967
Meat and preparations, ex. poultry . .	Lb.	100,376	111,633	51,095	50,772	59,463	26,786
Dairy products, excluding eggs . . .		---	---	11,835	---	---	6,440
Poultry and poultry products		---	---	24,577	---	---	11,189
Grains and preparations		---	---	1,558,243	---	---	741,995
Wheat and wheat flour	Bu.	179,545	216,834	762,279	94,674	114,210	401,648
Rice, milled	Lb.	479,861	473,241	112,351	174,396	225,552	41,215
Feed grains	MT	5,302	5,340	643,468	2,224	2,801	280,474
Other		---	---	40,145	---	---	18,658
Fruits, nuts, and preparations		---	---	117,496	---	---	60,841
Vegetables and preparations		---	---	73,180	---	---	36,269
Sugar and preparations, inc. honey . .	Lb.	75,190	176,785	9,290	45,153	59,442	5,150
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, etc. . .	Lb.	11,065	14,850	9,879	5,572	8,222	4,819
Feeds and fodders		---	---	174,256	---	---	88,425
Protein meal	Ston	885	668	128,346	434	389	67,441
Beverages, ex. distilled alcoholic . .	Gal.	1,065	1,622	1,803	408	854	827
Tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	101,121	63,914	120,382	51,867	39,750	63,093
Hides, skins, and furskins		---	---	61,795	---	---	29,011
Oilseeds		---	---	346,111	---	---	161,706
Soybeans	Bu.	48,270	64,458	322,719	21,157	33,422	151,287
Wool, unmanufactured	Glb.	1,904	3,061	2,422	1,085	1,300	1,489
Cotton, unmanufactured	Rbl	733	712	184,942	285	338	71,078
Fats, oils, and greases	Lb.	477,806	231,038	102,620	217,707	110,300	46,359
Vegetable oils and waxes	Lb.	523,995	234,254	168,528	178,424	79,816	61,685
Rubber and allied gums	Lb.	6,097	6,652	3,344	3,255	3,759	1,884
Other		---	---	47,818	---	---	25,694
Total		---	---	3,084,014	---	---	1,452,478
				3,132,781			1,600,442

Table 3.--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by commodity, July-August and August 1974 and 1975

Commodity	July-August		Change		August		Change	
	1974	1975			1974	1975		
	-- Million dollars --		-- Percent --		-- Million dollars --		-- Percent --	
Animals and animal products:								
Dairy products	12	19	+58		6	6	---	---
Fats, oils, and greases	103	40	-61		46	19	-59	-59
Hides and skins, including furskins	62	50	-19		29	25	-14	-14
Cattle hides, whole	48	39	-19		23	20	-13	-13
Furskins	6	5	-17		2	2	---	---
Other hides and skins	8	6	-25		4	3	-25	-25
Meats and meat products	51	80	+57		27	42	+56	+56
Poultry and poultry products	25	28	+12		11	14	+27	+27
Other	23	26	+13		14	10	-29	-29
Total animals and animal products	276	243	-12		133	116	-13	-13
Cotton, excluding linters	182	177	-3		70	86	+23	+23
Feeds and fodders, excluding protein meal:								
Corn byproducts	12	16	+33		5	6	+20	+20
Alfalfa meal	6	3	-50		3	2	-33	-33
Other	28	27	-4		13	13	---	---
Total feeds and fodders, excluding oil cake and meal	46	46	---		21	21	---	---
Fruits and preparations	106	125	+18		54	62	+15	+15
Grains and preparations:								
Feed grains, excluding products	643	664	+3		280	351	+25	+25
Rice	112	87	-22		41	41	---	---
Wheat and products	768	908	+18		405	470	+16	+16
Other	35	25	-29		16	15	-6	-6
Total grains and preparations	1,558	1,684	+8		742	877	+18	+18
Nuts and preparations	11	21	+91		7	14	+100	+100
Oilseeds and products:								
Cottonseed and soybean oil	133	55	-59		43	15	-65	-65
Soybeans	323	386	+20		151	200	+33	+33
Protein meal	128	100	-22		67	57	-15	-15
Other	61	47	-23		31	23	-26	-26
Total oilseeds and products	645	588	-9		292	295	+1	+1
Tobacco, unmanufactured	120	95	-21		63	60	-5	-5
Vegetables and preparations	73	59	-19		36	25	-31	-31
Other	67	95	+42		34	44	+32	+32
Total agricultural exports	3,084	3,133	+2		1,452	1,600	+10	+10

Table 4.--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by months, January 1963 to December 1975

Months	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970 ^{1/}	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 ^{2/}
-- Million dollars --													
January	201.9	542.8	210.4	505.7	530.2	545.0	177.7	524.1	670.3	769.7	1,135.5	1,833.9	2,459.1
February	492.2	523.2	325.7	519.7	512.0	547.4	239.5	559.6	634.5	714.2	1,180.1	1,909.8	1,920.3
March	505.2	523.6	696.2	619.5	552.0	544.4	517.2	569.7	714.5	668.2	1,411.4	2,092.6	1,911.1
January-March	1,199.3	1,589.6	1,232.3	1,644.9	1,594.2	1,636.8	934.4	1,653.4	2,019.3	2,152.1	3,727.0	5,836.3	6,290.5
April	499.7	521.1	553.8	552.3	524.5	523.7	602.0	558.4	632.1	627.7	1,265.5	2,011.1	1,757.6
May	505.4	530.5	532.9	549.4	548.1	497.5	583.6	573.7	623.1	711.5	1,367.3	1,796.5	1,496.4
June	412.9	459.4	530.9	551.1	521.0	461.3	513.2	599.4	607.1	743.5	1,376.1	1,704.4	1,389.7
April-June	1,418.0	1,511.0	1,617.6	1,652.8	1,593.6	1,482.5	1,698.8	1,731.5	1,862.3	2,082.7	4,008.9	5,512.0	4,643.7
January-June	2,617.3	3,100.6	2,849.9	3,297.7	3,187.8	3,119.3	2,633.2	3,384.9	3,881.6	4,234.8	7,735.9	11,348.3	10,934.2
July	410.5	479.7	548.0	489.9	472.2	465.6	499.8	567.8	578.5	680.8	1,223.7	1,631.5	1,532.4
August	408.7	419.6	459.3	571.0	468.1	489.0	438.4	537.5	546.2	679.0	1,478.1	1,452.3	1,600.7
September	432.9	494.7	484.6	564.0	488.9	469.6	471.5	568.3	749.3	709.5	1,449.2	1,379.9	
July-September	1,252.1	1,394.0	1,491.9	1,624.9	1,429.2	1,424.2	1,409.7	1,673.6	1,874.0	2,069.3	4,151.0	4,463.7	
October	552.3	575.7	587.1	622.4	531.8	463.8	644.9	729.9	465.9	907.5	1,734.4	1,711.9	
November	574.5	607.7	651.4	697.7	667.4	609.4	657.8	725.8	630.2	1,080.4	2,085.6	2,352.5	
December	588.1	669.5	648.3	638.6	563.6	610.7	590.9	744.6	841.5	1,108.6	1,973.3	2,119.5	
October-December	1,714.9	1,852.9	1,886.8	1,958.7	1,762.8	1,683.9	1,893.6	2,200.3	1,937.6	3,096.5	5,793.3	6,183.9	
July-December	2,967.0	3,246.9	3,378.7	3,583.6	3,192.0	3,108.1	3,303.3	3,873.9	3,811.6	5,165.8	9,944.3	10,647.6	
January-December ^{3/}	5,584.3	6,347.5	6,228.6	6,881.3	6,379.8	6,227.6	5,936.5	7,258.6	7,693.2	9,400.7	17,680.2	21,995.9	
Monthly average	465.4	529.0	519.1	573.4	531.6	518.9	494.7	604.9	641.1	783.3	1,473.4	1,832.9	

^{1/} Beginning January 1970, export values include small amounts of commodities formerly classified as nonagricultural.

^{2/} Preliminary.

^{3/} Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 5.--U.S. farm export unit values,
July-August 1974 and 1975, and August 1974 and 1975

Commodity	Unit	July-August		August	
		1974	1975	1974	1975
-- <u>Average unit value</u> 1/ --					
Soybean oil	Lb.	.309	.339	.324	.336
Cottonseed oil	do.	.323	.247	.344	.241
Corn	Bu.	3.133	3.287	3.267	3.312
Cotton, raw	Rble	265.412	259.185	266.877	264.618
Feed grains	Mton	121.363	124.340	126.112	125.375
Alfalfa meal, dehydrated ...	Ston	124.176	108.100	112.571	117.500
Dried beans	Lb.	.230	.136	.292	.151
Peaches, canned	do.	.233	.248	.237	.246
Soybeans	Bu.	6.686	5.993	7.151	5.996
Grain sorghums	do.	2.823	2.739	2.905	2.647
Fruit cocktail, canned	Lb.	.268	.295	.266	.301
Dried peas	do.	.195	.129	.212	.127
Wheat	Bu.	4.239	4.160	4.234	4.115
Tobacco, flue-cured, unstemmed	Lb.	1.202	1.422	1.207	1.424
Tobacco, flue-cured, stemmed	do.	1.459	1.715	1.504	1.719
Tobacco, unmanufactured ...	do.	1.190	1.485	1.216	1.504
Lemons and limes	do.	.143	.207	.152	.228
Beef and veal, ex. offals ..	do.	1.320	1.455	1.494	1.392
Pork, except offals	do.	.722	.967	.728	.971
Oranges 2/	do.	.110	.112	.114	.113
Chickens, fresh or frozen ..	do.	.399	.388	.376	.401
Tallow, inedible	do.	.210	.166	.209	.166
Raisins	do.	.606	.409	.604	.380
Rice, milled basis	do.	.234	.184	.236	.184
Grapes, fresh	do.	.313	.321	.295	.298
Almonds, shelled basis	do.	1.295	.953	1.339	.992
Cattle hides, whole	No.	15.461	12.606	15.126	12.721
Offals, edible	Lb.	.352	.416	.355	.415
Soybean meal	Ston	142.323	149.777	151.094	144.876

^{1/} Total export value reported divided by total quantity exported.

^{2/} Includes tangerines and clementines.

Table 6.--U.S. agricultural exports by regions,
fiscal years 1973/74 and 1974/75 and August 1974 and 1975

Region 1/	1973/74	1974/75 2/		August	Change	
		1974	1975		Fiscal year	August 1975
		-- Million dollars --			--	Percent --
Western Europe	6,743	6,945	852	964	+3	+13
Enlarged European Community	5,310	5,322	701	807	---	+15
Other Western Europe	1,433	1,623	152	158	+13	+4
Eastern Europe and USSR	1,195	983	96	199	-18	+107
USSR	509	396	24	133	-22	+454
Eastern Europe	686	587	72	66	-14	-8
Asia	7,889	8,238	1,335	1,140	+4	-15
West Asia	786	1,583	195	137	+101	-30
South Asia	663	1,229	238	213	+85	-10
Southeast Asia, excluding Japan and PRC ..	2,250	1,912	294	300	-15	+2
Japan	3,353	3,185	426	490	-5	+15
People's Republic of China	838	328	182	---	-61	---
Latin America	2,407	2,404	357	333	-1	-7
Canada, excluding transshipments	1,195	1,310	190	219	+10	+15
Canadian transshipments	751	448	71	65	-40	-8
Africa	985	1,129	155	197	+15	+27
North Africa	584	735	93	123	+26	+32
Other Africa	400	394	62	74	-1	+19
Oceania	128	125	28	16	-2	-43
Total 3/	21,293	21,582	3,084	3,133	+1	+2

1/ Not adjusted for transshipments.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 7.--U.S. agricultural exports to the People's Republic of China:
Quantity and value by commodity, July-August 1974 and 1975

Commodity	Unit	July-August 1974		July-August 1975	
		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
		<u>Thousands</u>	<u>1,000 dollars</u>	<u>Thousands</u>	<u>1,000 dollars</u>
Wheat, unmilled	Mton	1,085	134,825	0	0
Corn, unmilled	do.	23	2,590	0	0
Soybeans	Bu.	3,365	22,864	0	0
Soybean oil, crude	Lb.	0	0	0	0
Cotton, raw	Rble	87	21,414	0	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured ...	Lb.	0	0	0	0
Sheep and lamb skins	No.	7	42	0	0
Tallow, inedible	Lb.	0	0	0	0
Other	---	---	29	0	0
Total	---	---	181,764	---	0

Table 8.--Total agricultural exports and exports of grains and preparations to the OPEC for July-August 1974 and 1975

Country	Total agricultural		Grains and preparations	
	1974	1975	1974	1975
-- <u>1,000 dollars</u> --				
Venezuela	18,056	47,567	6,274	20,213
Ecuador	4,570	9,837	2,250	7,399
Iraq	18,154	9,237	17,644	7,631
Iran	80,397	33,929	46,135	21,842
Kuwait	1,074	798	62	24
Saudi Arabia	18,065	11,407	14,319	5,972
Qatar	126	171	14	8
United Arab Emirates ..	1,373	1,038	214	192
Bahrain	706	516	395	39
Indonesia	15,434	26,744	4,278	10,335
Algeria	18,690	22,952	12,116	17,645
Libya	1,524	446	43	119
Nigeria	13,704	17,395	8,522	10,895
Total <u>1/</u>	191,873	182,037	112,266	102,314

1/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 9.--U.S. agricultural exports to COMECON: Quantity and value
by principal commodities and countries, July-August 1974/75 and 1975/76

Commodity	Unit	East Germany				Czechoslovakia			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76
		Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Wheat, unmilled	MT	0	15	0	2,756	0	0	0	0
Swine	No.	0	0	0	0	0	1/	0	90
Peanuts, shelled, green	Lb.	0	0	0	0	535	436	139	136
Oilcake and meal	MT	0	0	0	0	6	0	804	0
Dairy cattle, breeding	No.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cattle hides, whole	do.	1	0	14	0	92	117	1,270	1,063
Other hides and skins, excluding furskins	do.	2	0	29	0	0	0	0	0
Citrus fruits, fresh	Lb.	5,487	1,034	483	113	0	0	0	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	do.	0	0	0	0	369	632	456	858
Other	---	---	---	162	260	---	---	129	0
Total	---	---	---	688	3,129	---	---	2,798	2,147
		Hungary				Bulgaria			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76
		Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Wheat, unmilled	MT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Swine	No.	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	184
Peanuts, shelled, green	Lb.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oilcake and meal	MT	0	11	0	2,074	0	0	0	0
Dairy cattle, breeding	No.	1/	0	168	0	1/	1/	325	200
Cattle hides, whole	do.	90	17	1,312	124	0	0	0	0
Other hides and skins, excluding furskins	do.	89	61	854	266	0	0	0	0
Citrus fruits, fresh	Lb.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	do.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	---	---	---	122	85	---	---	0	0
Total	---	---	---	2,456	2,549	---	---	325	384

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Table 9.--U.S. agricultural exports to COMECON: Quantity and value
by principal commodities and countries, July-August 1974/75 and 1975/76--Continued

Commodity	Unit	Poland				USSR			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76
		Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Swine	No.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wheat, unmilled	MT	27	67	2,437	9,251	67	722	6,065	131,556
Corn, unmilled	do.	84	127	10,239	18,145	168	0	10,734	0
Barley, unmilled	do.	20	0	2,269	0	0	0	0	0
Grain sorghums	do.	24	86	2,699	8,978	0	0	0	0
Rye, unmilled	do.	0	0	0	0	30	0	2,917	0
Peanuts, shelled, green	Lb.	2,077	901	634	254	0	0	0	0
Oilcake and meal	MT	14	24	2,919	4,032	0	0	0	0
Linseed oil, raw	Lb.	8,141	0	3,582	0	0	0	0	0
Dairy cattle, breeding	No.	1/	0	80	0	0	0	3	0
Cattle hides, whole	do.	120	163	1,780	1,630	138	60	2,724	407
Other hides and skins, excluding furskins	do.	222	74	874	272	246	0	1,272	0
Citrus fruits, fresh	Lb.	9,457	10,471	782	1,082	3,064	2,785	286	296
Cotton, excluding linters	Rble	4	0	1,234	0	0	0	0	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	0	110	0	155	0	0	0	0
Tallow, inedible	do.	0	0	0	0	0	2,168	0	348
Other	---	---	---	1,000	194	---	---	60	17
Total	---	---	---	30,529	43,993	---	---	24,061	132,624

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Table 9.--U.S. agricultural exports to COMECON: Quantity and value
by principal commodities and countries, July-August 1974/75 and 1975/76--Continued

Commodity	Unit	Romania				Total			
		Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
		1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76	1974/75	1975/76
		Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars	Thousands	Thousands	1,000 dollars	1,000 dollars
Swine	No.	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	274
Wheat, unmilled	MT	0	86	0	11,793	94	890	8,502	155,356
Corn, unmilled	do.	144	0	17,974	0	396	127	38,947	18,145
Barley, unmilled	do.	0	0	0	0	20	0	2,269	0
Grain sorghums	do.	0	0	0	0	24	86	2,699	8,978
Rye, unmilled	do.	0	0	0	0	30	0	2,917	0
Peanuts, shelled, green	Lb.	0	0	0	0	2,612	1,337	773	390
Oilcake and meal	MT	0	0	0	0	20	35	3,723	6,106
Linseed oil, raw	Lb.	0	0	0	0	8,141	0	3,582	0
Dairy cattle, breeding	No.	0	0	0	0	1/	1/	576	200
Cattle hides, whole	do.	261	159	3,880	1,125	702	516	10,980	4,349
Other hides and skins, excluding furskins	do.	0	0	0	0	559	135	3,029	538
Citrus fruits, fresh	Lb.	0	0	0	0	18,008	14,290	1,551	1,491
Cotton, excluding linters	Rble	1/	0	94	0	4	0	1,328	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	Lb.	0	0	0	0	369	742	456	1,013
Tallow, inedible	do.	0	0	0	0	0	2,168	0	348
Other	---	---	---	18	0	---	---	1,491	556
Total	---	---	---	21,966	12,918	---	---	82,823	197,744

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TABLE 10.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
TALLOW, INEDIBLE	MLB	402,879	206,935	84,547	34,274	188,603	99,741	188,603	39,339	16,575					
MEXICO		19,557	13,712	4,365	2,614	10,411	5,197	10,411	2,268	1,020					
EL SALVADOR		168	4,653	39	765	168	128	168	39	23					
COLOMBIA		9,313	6,438	1,910	936	3,693	3,459	3,693	698	521					
UNITED KINGDOM		16,837	1,323	3,139	231	4,498	1,323	4,498	931	231					
NETHERLANDS		24,555	0	4,440	0	7,334	0	7,334	1,269	0					
FRANCE		14,771	0	3,360	0	7,606	0	7,606	1,719	0					
GERMANY WEST		7,300	6,149	1,908	873	4,868	5,322	4,868	1,422	780					
SPAIN		4,840	6,116	939	925	1,652	3,490	1,652	304	547					
ITALY		10,040	575	2,241	103	2,571	575	2,571	533	103					
IRAQ		1,102	9,895	363	1,598	0	3,286	0	0	507					
IRAN		17,460	2,205	3,525	365	12,067	2,205	12,067	2,402	365					
INDIA		25,362	0	5,667	0	1,804	0	1,804	469	0					
PAKISTAN		2,534	11,053	511	1,760	0	1,017	0	0	206					
KOREA, REP OF		30,996	24,792	6,169	4,145	24,382	17,727	24,382	4,934	3,061					
JAPAN		68,895	21,296	14,216	3,298	47,021	15,456	47,021	9,514	2,447					
ALGERIA		3,304	10,114	859	1,842	3,304	1,050	3,304	859	152					
EGYPT		55,682	17,477	11,638	3,223	18,878	5,604	18,878	4,252	1,164					
GHANA		0	6,259	0	1,449	0	2,069	0	0	314					
NIGERIA		4,328	5,943	846	871	3,226	3,256	3,226	620	487					
REP SOUTH AFRICA		8,230	1,624	1,894	261	0	1,624	0	0	261					
OTHER		77,603	57,311	16,518	9,014	35,119	26,966	35,119	7,105	4,385					
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MLB	4,946	5,607	6,531	8,156	2,226	3,254	2,226	3,325	4,543					
CANADA		437	567	524	1,155	308	319	308	406	587					
BERMUDA		252	213	508	495	113	102	113	271	230					
BAHAMAS		1,108	866	1,410	1,240	476	387	476	661	532					
JAMAICA		170	214	245	329	103	91	103	145	191					
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		174	128	212	236	70	49	70	115	104					
NETHERLANDS		157	118	183	195	123	73	123	120	89					
SWITZERLAND		96	106	289	362	57	53	57	180	177					
SPAIN		249	0	264	2	0	0	0	1	0					
IRAN		19	162	30	329	0	114	0	0	224					
SAUDI ARABIA		85	7	131	16	56	5	56	82	11					
HONG KONG		96	82	199	144	29	34	29	58	82					
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		951	0	198	0	44	0	44	101	0					
JAPAN		1,058	2,171	1,311	2,464	400	1,391	400	712	1,517					
OTHER		1,058	973	1,027	1,189	448	645	448	474	800					
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MLB	19,496	43,824	14,067	42,395	12,379	21,129	12,379	9,008	20,509					
CANADA		9,393	12,632	6,745	11,738	5,436	6,734	5,436	4,035	6,218					
BAHAMAS		668	589	516	659	298	255	298	235	291					
JAPAN		6,385	27,920	4,810	28,070	5,313	12,977	5,313	3,832	13,078					
OTHER		3,049	2,684	1,996	1,928	1,332	1,162	1,332	906	922					
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MLB	60,921	45,490	21,453	18,907	29,414	26,654	29,414	10,430	11,059					
MEXICO		9,985	6,309	2,189	1,458	4,899	3,517	4,899	1,069	818					

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TABLE 10.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		1975 1/		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1974	1,000 DOL.	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.
PERU		2,853	1,517	1,517	787	1,199	294	1,517	333	1,517	333
UNITED KINGDOM		7,763	7,472	7,472	2,918	3,965	2,801	3,822	1,542	3,822	1,542
NETHERLANDS		7,449	4,286	4,286	2,750	2,687	1,586	1,924	1,010	1,924	1,010
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		5,648	3,227	3,227	2,266	2,723	1,483	1,671	1,048	1,671	1,048
FRANCE		19,106	12,870	12,870	7,159	11,365	5,889	9,109	4,294	9,109	4,294
GERMANY WEST		1,595	852	852	630	262	273	832	99	832	99
ISRAEL		1,171	2,023	2,023	676	529	1,216	914	290	914	290
JAPAN		865	3,905	3,905	495	251	2,815	1,866	185	1,866	185
OTHER		4,486	3,029	3,029	1,584	1,533	1,092	1,482	561	1,482	561
BREEDING CHICKS	MNO	1,740	1,443	1,443	2,883	891	2,568	726	1,544	726	1,544
CANADA		353	325	325	340	178	351	170	184	170	184
MEXICO		79	39	39	185	37	98	13	82	13	82
VENEZUELA		37	41	41	74	23	143	17	57	17	57
PERU		53	39	39	158	15	168	23	53	23	53
BRAZIL		67	50	50	239	37	151	30	92	30	92
SPAIN		54	44	44	151	51	76	2	148	2	148
TURKEY		16	36	36	39	8	115	9	19	9	19
LEBANON		46	32	32	118	4	90	0	6	0	6
IRAN		16	32	32	67	0	172	27	0	27	0
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		60	130	130	44	20	127	52	22	52	22
JAPAN		209	210	210	498	70	415	109	352	109	352
OTHER		752	465	465	948	446	761	274	529	274	529
POULTRY MEAT, CHICKENS, FRESH, FROZEN	MLB	22,544	24,946	24,946	8,985	9,146	9,689	12,383	3,443	12,383	3,443
CANADA		959	2,047	2,047	461	546	1,040	501	279	501	279
MEXICO		754	1,609	1,609	254	428	627	671	148	671	148
BERMUDA		575	454	454	421	253	323	199	191	199	191
JAMAICA		2,966	5,408	5,408	839	1,462	879	3,156	348	3,156	348
LEeward-WINDWARD IS		1,103	1,448	1,448	339	694	345	736	205	736	205
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		923	1,098	1,098	409	547	538	635	247	635	247
LEBANON		2,543	0	0	1,211	0	0	0	0	0	0
KUWAIT		637	85	85	308	482	61	85	195	85	195
SAUDI ARABIA		84	909	909	63	84	346	36	63	36	63
SINGAPORE		508	1,686	1,686	168	280	814	701	92	701	92
HONG KONG		5,415	3,733	3,733	1,791	2,088	1,517	1,714	670	1,714	670
JAPAN		4,527	3,853	3,853	2,136	1,594	2,062	2,420	768	2,420	768
FR PACIFIC ISLANDS		191	579	579	102	87	351	460	43	460	43
OTHER		1,358	2,036	2,036	483	599	785	1,067	194	1,067	194
POULTRY MEAT, TURKEYS, FRESH, FROZEN	MLB	5,686	8,411	8,411	3,325	2,788	5,474	4,023	1,557	4,023	1,557
CANADA		252	180	180	118	68	115	127	33	127	33
UNITED KINGDOM		308	1,072	1,072	372	184	1,174	705	214	705	214
NETHERLANDS		78	153	153	41	74	114	29	38	29	38
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		239	103	103	124	206	72	31	98	31	98
GERMANY WEST		3,012	4,210	4,210	1,694	1,560	2,365	1,840	791	1,840	791
SWITZERLAND		111	280	280	32	36	176	164	10	164	10

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TABLE 10.---U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST				AUGUST			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
				1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
ITALY		383	703	253	339	0	233	0	125
HONG KONG		207	271	94	224	70	114	37	132
JAPAN		233	139	124	96	104	100	57	73
OTHER		863	1,301	472	798	486	680	280	410
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MNO	3,083	3,061	47,666	38,588	1,514	1,544	22,901	19,641
CANADA		108	115	1,620	1,620	64	56	946	750
MEXICO		325	360	4,686	3,984	200	163	2,850	1,846
FRANCE		103	50	1,700	628	68	21	1,108	273
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		92	117	1,270	1,043	34	58	421	501
HUNGARY		90	17	1,312	124	34	9	511	65
POLAND		120	163	1,780	1,630	62	72	922	765
USSR		138	60	2,724	407	73	20	1,317	122
SPAIN		129	83	1,654	1,183	99	64	1,194	942
ITALY		67	25	1,219	407	46	13	802	150
YUGOSLAVIA		89	25	1,497	343	56	18	929	222
ROMANIA		261	159	3,880	1,125	0	101	0	690
KOREA, REP OF		173	318	3,090	4,946	62	175	1,129	2,726
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		76	107	1,188	1,241	40	40	630	431
JAPAN		1,049	1,231	15,940	17,619	529	611	7,983	8,918
OTHER		264	231	4,106	2,268	148	124	2,158	1,238
COTTON, RAW EXCLUDING LINTERS	MRBA	687	682	182,338	176,764	261	325	69,655	86,001
CANADA		31	23	6,502	4,674	24	16	4,849	3,108
BANGLADESH		22	0	7,858	0	0	0	0	0
THAILAND		27	18	6,112	4,069	7	7	1,485	1,511
VIETNAM SOUTH		15	0	4,557	0	5	0	1,470	0
MALAYSIA		14	6	3,726	1,503	4	3	1,235	770
INDONESIA		28	61	9,799	14,868	3	41	926	10,027
PHILIPPINES		30	36	8,390	10,758	15	9	4,262	2,485
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		87	0	21,414	0	18	0	4,347	0
KOREA, REP OF		117	246	34,808	74,240	70	111	20,307	34,900
HONG KONG		45	21	11,232	4,187	4	6	1,066	1,351
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		48	127	10,150	27,044	16	74	3,725	17,086
JAPAN		121	76	25,482	18,725	42	28	8,948	6,700
OTHER		101	67	32,308	16,696	55	31	17,036	8,063
FRUIT COCKTAIL, CANNED	MLB	4,553	7,932	1,220	2,341	3,058	4,393	812	1,321
CANADA		2,659	3,198	701	945	1,978	1,684	498	505
PANAMA		5	182	1	61	5	167	1	56
SWEDEN		778	752	245	207	558	509	181	143
UNITED KINGDOM		182	723	39	254	0	512	0	180
NETHERLANDS		0	207	0	58	0	143	0	40
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		247	509	53	146	233	69	48	21
GERMANY WEST		268	183	57	48	0	31	0	11
AUSTRIA		92	178	28	44	92	74	28	21
SWITZERLAND		74	416	23	114	16	384	5	105

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TABLE 10.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		1975 1/		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.
HONG KONG		0	476		0		131		83
OTHER		249	1,109		72		330		156
PEACHES, CANNED	MLB								
CANADA		9,988	7,194		2,324		1,785		1,311
SWEDEN		8,247	4,988		1,820		1,207		1,055
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,103	597		353		165		145
GERMANY WEST		141	348		31		98		7
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		34	394		10		80		5
OTHER		45	198		11		45		17
		416	669		98		189		82
PRUNES, DRIED	MLB								
CANADA		7,641	22,967		2,926		7,781		4,830
BRAZIL		831	1,460		338		541		281
SWEDEN		23	409		10		159		98
NORWAY		854	1,028		434		441		199
FINLAND		242	502		116		194		68
DENMARK		1,334	1,334		338		506		346
UNITED KINGDOM		437	351		196		130		72
NETHERLANDS		348	2,037		148		669		326
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		211	404		83		127		53
FRANCE		131	699		57		259		89
GERMANY WEST		0	8,899		0		2,839		1,958
SWITZERLAND		454	1,126		217		374		284
ITALY		126	75		74		27		8
JAPAN		1,663	2,065		319		578		542
NEW ZEALAND		456	361		201		133		77
OTHER		115	194		61		96		93
		805	1,961		335		705		336
GRAPES, DRIED (RAISINS)	MLB								
CANADA		7,839	18,745		4,754		7,674		3,945
BRAZIL		2,202	2,634		1,307		1,265		636
SWEDEN		182	439		126		246		149
NORWAY		548	549		342		249		130
FINLAND		719	390		434		203		130
DENMARK		471	892		283		501		57
UNITED KINGDOM		383	384		206		191		370
IRELAND		831	3,724		460		1,415		97
NETHERLANDS		75	450		37		194		752
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		246	497		144		241		0
GERMANY WEST		199	71		121		38		166
HONG KONG		326	654		175		180		2
JAPAN		4	318		4		169		98
NEW ZEALAND		111	5,773		59		1,702		55
OTHER		702	476		555		365		759
		840	1,493		503		716		286
GRAPEFRUITS, FRESH	MLB								
CANADA		55,446	38,926		7,227		5,345		1,783
		8,554	12,919		958		1,577		666

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TABLE 10.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		VALUE		QUANTITY		AUGUST		VALUE	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
				1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.		
UNITED KINGDOM		291	1,945	24	202	190	1,169			20	124
NETHERLANDS		2,672	4,176	254	816	820	2,333			78	239
FRANCE		2,620	3,264	193	303	465	2,211			48	272
GERMANY WEST		321	2,281	24	249	0	1,016			0	119
JAPAN		39,448	13,281	5,634	1,940	18,466	2,119	2,711		256	
OTHER		1,542	1,060	139	128	1,161	856			98	107
GRAPES, FRESH	MLB	22,722	19,990	7,105	6,409	12,925	11,994	3,816		3,578	
CANADA		16,769	14,344	5,104	4,454	8,779	7,314	2,437		2,050	
SINGAPORE		1,213	1,321	386	440	761	1,061	225		334	
INDONESIA		723	685	206	210	467	593	132		178	
HONG KONG		2,914	2,536	1,041	889	2,143	2,206	770		739	
JAPAN		251	271	96	129	121	127	41		55	
NEW ZEALAND		317	391	121	143	235	318	92		115	
OTHER		535	442	150	144	419	375	119		107	
LEMONS AND LIMES, FRESH	MLB	108,807	73,937	15,593	15,305	47,530	34,769	7,244		7,930	
CANADA		7,486	9,593	1,352	1,725	3,842	4,313	742		865	
NETHERLANDS		5,189	4,466	606	790	1,896	2,979	605		605	
FRANCE		7,962	5,506	1,007	777	3,749	2,261	518		395	
GERMANY WEST		7,814	13,713	868	1,648	1,513	3,901	203		513	
GERMANY EAST		4,865	1,034	431	113	3,064	1,034	113		726	
POLAND		8,197	10,471	695	1,042	4,865	6,505	424		4,179	
JAPAN		57,239	21,934	9,497	8,080	25,976	11,046	4,493		534	
OTHER		10,055	7,220	1,138	1,091	2,626	2,730	336			
ORANGES, TANGERINES, CLEMENTINES, FRESH	MLB	134,778	184,396	14,762	20,644	61,375	83,857	9,976		9,458	
CANADA		32,023	38,865	4,110	4,674	15,494	18,991	2,053		2,314	
SWEDEN		2,966	4,385	271	427	869	1,399	87		136	
UNITED KINGDOM		10,683	12,423	983	1,227	4,815	6,085	472		578	
NETHERLANDS		20,901	41,364	2,087	3,883	10,198	16,921	1,025		1,626	
FRANCE		9,157	14,430	862	1,509	3,886	3,761	379		425	
GERMANY WEST		8,341	6,004	797	580	4,404	3,840	453		339	
SINGAPORE		2,192	9,159	252	954	500	5,470	67		589	
HONG KONG		34,620	39,666	3,911	4,482	14,770	18,846	1,743		2,152	
JAPAN		9,602	11,125	1,054	2,186	3,948	5,908	438		1,012	
OTHER		4,294	6,975	436	723	2,491	2,637	259		286	
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	MGAL	1,025	1,144	1,485	2,090	466	564	768		1,114	
CANADA		757	824	1,049	1,413	383	435	597		803	
UNITED KINGDOM		11	32	30	113	0	4	1		14	
GERMANY WEST		90	83	141	140	23	36	56		79	
OTHER		167	205	266	423	61	90	114		218	
ORANGE JUICE	MGAL	4,149	4,330	9,462	12,530	2,098	2,205	4,862		6,580	
CANADA		2,192	2,699	5,440	8,158	1,091	1,368	2,941		4,152	
SWEDEN		562	308	825	1,051	459	209	508		715	

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.
NETHERLANDS		93	188	200	632	70	136	70	143	136	499	143	499	143	499
OTHER		1,302	3,008	1,122	2,689	479	492	479	1,270	492	1,213	1,270	1,213	1,270	1,213
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MLB	4,723	6,117	13,617	12,976	2,597	8,663	2,597	3,478	8,663	8,591	3,478	8,591	3,478	8,591
SWEDEN		244	815	297	823	233	772	233	282	772	779	282	779	282	779
NORWAY		81	1,006	95	973	37	735	37	43	735	702	43	702	43	702
UNITED KINGDOM		355	1,439	494	1,462	133	716	133	175	716	737	175	737	175	737
FRANCE		109	760	143	724	33	500	33	35	500	474	35	474	35	474
GERMANY WEST		2,914	5,503	3,686	4,796	1,799	3,027	1,799	2,363	3,027	2,925	2,363	2,925	2,363	2,925
SWITZERLAND		333	275	402	271	14	171	14	19	171	165	19	165	19	165
JAPAN		2	1,629	3	1,710	0	1,125	0	0	1,125	1,175	0	1,175	0	1,175
OTHER		685	2,191	995	2,218	350	1,619	350	560	1,619	1,634	560	1,634	560	1,634
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	MLB	4,800	1,642	4,767	1,798	3,887	3,531	3,887	1,302	3,531	1,365	1,302	1,365	1,302	1,365
CANADA		689	360	228	101	638	58	638	212	58	17	212	17	212	17
UNITED KINGDOM		417	396	147	108	413	220	413	145	220	51	145	51	145	51
NETHERLANDS		864	491	299	175	657	385	657	227	385	138	227	138	227	138
GERMANY WEST		817	2,269	303	972	783	2,110	783	287	2,110	892	287	892	287	892
SPAIN		639	184	221	53	389	184	389	135	184	53	135	53	135	53
ISRAEL		81	335	27	129	57	179	57	19	179	29	19	29	19	29
AUSTRALIA		465	164	101	60	434	145	434	89	145	51	89	51	89	51
OTHER		829	548	317	200	518	351	518	189	351	134	189	134	189	134
FEED GRAINS	MMT	5,302	643,468	5,340	663,974	2,224	2,801	2,224	280,474	2,801	351,175	280,474	351,175	280,474	351,175
CANADA		144	17,196	161	19,583	59	65	59	7,336	65	8,074	7,336	8,074	7,336	8,074
MEXICO		243	28,395	245	28,856	139	107	139	17,440	107	11,941	17,440	11,941	17,440	11,941
UNITED KINGDOM		82	9,866	140	17,373	27	23	27	3,566	23	3,031	3,566	3,031	3,566	3,031
NETHERLANDS		845	99,773	788	93,436	350	438	350	43,473	438	54,156	43,473	54,156	43,473	54,156
GERMANY WEST		355	43,342	341	46,387	90	182	90	10,904	182	24,998	10,904	24,998	10,904	24,998
POLAND		128	15,207	213	27,123	68	95	68	8,162	95	11,616	8,162	11,616	8,162	11,616
SPAIN		185	20,420	134	18,088	50	134	50	4,909	134	18,088	4,909	18,088	4,909	18,088
PORTUGAL		84	9,941	167	20,308	59	91	59	7,110	91	11,734	7,110	11,734	7,110	11,734
ITALY		436	58,429	831	108,789	135	421	135	20,035	421	55,839	20,035	55,839	20,035	55,839
GREECE		61	7,500	135	16,558	34	73	34	4,112	73	8,597	4,112	8,597	4,112	8,597
ROMANIA		144	17,974	0	0	55	0	55	7,593	0	0	7,593	0	0	0
ISRAEL		144	20,097	155	22,356	54	30	54	7,350	30	4,456	7,350	4,456	7,350	4,456
KOREA, REP OF		113	14,187	20	2,400	65	3	65	7,941	3	369	7,941	369	7,941	369
JAPAN		1,452	175,862	1,428	175,796	723	780	723	90,223	780	94,560	90,223	94,560	90,223	94,560
UNDNTD CTRY-CAN T/S		318	42,701	33	3,952	109	26	109	16,873	26	3,401	16,873	3,401	16,873	3,401
OTHER		570	62,578	547	62,970	205	335	205	23,447	335	40,316	23,447	40,316	23,447	40,316
BARLEY	MMT	109	15,727	63	8,579	60	20	60	9,077	20	2,408	9,077	2,408	9,077	2,408
MEXICO		0	84	22	3,883	0	1	0	73	1	253	73	253	73	253
COLOMBIA		14	2,209	0	0	14	0	14	2,209	0	0	2,209	0	0	0
GERMANY WEST		0	0	5	471	0	5	0	0	5	471	0	471	0	471
POLAND		20	2,269	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITALY		0	0	13	1,809	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		1975 1/		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	1974	1975 1/	1974	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
IRAN		18	0	3,416	0	18	0	3,416	0	0	0
KOREA, REP OF		56	0	7,373	0	27	0	3,253	0	0	0
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		0	14	0	1,684	0	14	0	1,684	0	1,684
UNDNTD CTRY-CAN T/S		0	7	0	548	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		1	1	376	184	0	0	126	0	0	0
CORN, EXCEPT SEED	MMT	4,120	4,000	508,242	517,592	1,660	2,254	213,493	293,879		
CANADA		134	161	16,447	19,536	53	65	6,806	8,027		
MEXICO		161	44	20,322	5,861	81	17	11,019	2,307		
UNITED KINGDOM		62	140	7,595	17,373	26	23	3,408	3,031		
NETHERLANDS		599	534	74,634	67,812	248	345	32,853	44,478		
GERMANY WEST		344	296	42,122	41,054	89	176	10,770	24,527		
POLAND		84	127	10,239	18,145	43	64	5,462	8,318		
USSR		168	0	10,734	0	77	0	5,002	0		
SPAIN		185	134	20,420	18,088	50	134	4,909	18,088		
PORTUGAL		84	130	9,941	16,423	59	74	7,110	9,759		
ITALY		436	818	58,429	106,980	135	421	20,035	55,839		
GREECE		61	135	7,500	16,558	34	73	4,112	8,597		
ROMANIA		144	0	17,974	0	55	0	7,593	0		
JAPAN		1,008	1,056	125,818	132,751	497	590	63,959	74,000		
UNDNTD CTRY-CAN T/S		297	26	40,356	3,401	98	26	15,530	3,401		
OTHER		354	399	45,711	53,611	115	246	14,924	33,507		
GRAIN SORGHUMS, EXCEPT SEED	MMT	1,031	1,272	114,619	137,154	484	525	55,338	54,668		
MEXICO		79	174	7,561	18,549	56	86	6,086	9,209		
VENEZUELA		24	108	2,322	9,280	0	21	0	2,138		
NORWAY		0	43	0	4,603	0	43	0	4,603		
NETHERLANDS		245	255	25,104	25,624	102	93	10,585	9,678		
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		28	44	2,818	3,063	3	43	316	2,979		
GERMANY WEST		0	39	0	4,861	0	0	0	0		
POLAND		24	86	2,699	8,978	24	31	2,699	3,298		
PORTUGAL		0	37	0	3,885	0	17	0	1,975		
ISRAEL		114	96	15,975	13,439	54	0	7,350	0		
JAPAN		442	372	49,569	43,024	226	189	26,122	20,538		
OTHER		76	18	4,871	1,849	19	2	2,179	251		
OATS	MMT	41	5	4,881	649	20	2	2,565	219		
MEXICO		3	5	328	564	2	2	261	172		
JAMAICA		0	0	41	43	0	0	20	17		
VENEZUELA		1	0	188	8	1	0	144	0		
PERU		2	0	387	0	2	0	387	0		
GERMANY WEST		11	0	1,220	0	1	0	133	0		
JAPAN		1	0	163	21	1	0	80	21		
UNDNTD CTRY-CAN T/S		21	0	2,345	4	12	0	1,343	0		
OTHER		1	0	210	9	1	0	196	9		
RICE	MLB	479,861	473,246	112,351	86,854	174,396	225,552	41,215	41,484		
CANADA		12,981	26,520	2,407	4,723	5,567	18,615	1,093	3,174		

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST			AUGUST			VALUE		
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1974	1975 1/	1974	1974	1975 1/	1975 1/
		QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
GERMANY WEST		12,736	12,142	2,819	3,693	8,427	3,693	0	0	0
SYRIAN ARAB REP		0	16,344	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRAN		84,230	77,387	21,733	35,644	53,113	35,644	9,383	9,383	10,216
SAUDI ARABIA		21,821	10,162	7,956	6,069	9,042	6,069	2,044	2,044	1,989
BANGLADESH		0	129,581	0	0	46,381	0	0	0	8,314
CAMBODIA (KHMER REP)		35,907	0	6,332	1,169	0	1,169	216	216	0
KOREA, REP OF		214,041	78,751	45,189	104,553	37,478	104,553	22,575	22,575	5,711
JAPAN		35,350	6,614	7,598	394	0	394	112	112	0
TANZANIA		0	34,876	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REP SOUTH AFRICA		30,612	29,614	9,202	2,565	27,150	2,565	760	760	5,155
OTHER		32,184	51,255	9,116	14,742	25,346	14,742	4,263	4,263	5,300
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MTU	180,637	218,327	748,175	907,630	114,426	95,228	404,524	404,524	470,472
MEXICO		8,659	34	41,678	118	5	4,767	22,369	22,369	17
PERU		3,629	4,550	15,244	18,537	1,983	1,991	8,665	8,665	8,101
BRAZIL		3,933	16,030	16,846	61,506	8,803	2,772	12,148	12,148	34,027
NETHERLANDS		3,660	7,634	18,151	34,039	4,055	2,021	10,431	10,431	18,034
GERMANY WEST		770	8,975	4,142	39,003	7,290	1	5	5	31,536
USSR		2,474	26,525	6,065	131,556	15,759	908	2,206	2,206	74,116
TURKEY		4,929	0	21,693	0	0	4,929	21,693	21,693	0
IRAQ		4,685	1,584	17,644	7,631	0	1,309	5,015	5,015	0
IRAN		3,775	1,116	20,608	6,177	0	3,774	20,605	20,605	0
INDIA		33,520	36,513	139,247	139,175	17,887	16,661	66,872	66,872	69,028
PAKISTAN		5,635	2,787	19,504	9,290	1,256	3,705	12,804	12,804	4,376
BANGLADESH		7,984	6,146	34,928	20,267	2,972	0	0	0	9,630
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		39,867	0	134,825	0	0	24,092	85,512	85,512	0
KOREA, REP OF		5,480	4,547	29,568	17,916	2,555	2,363	12,754	12,754	9,793
JAPAN		13,445	19,485	66,542	75,081	10,208	8,448	41,277	41,277	38,715
EGYPT		59	12,183	272	50,565	2,907	45	209	209	10,736
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		1,023	11,564	5,597	52,887	6,318	171	903	903	30,197
OTHER		37,111	58,654	175,621	243,882	32,426	17,272	81,055	81,055	132,166
WHEAT	MTU	174,870	211,434	741,244	879,535	111,446	91,984	389,435	389,435	458,563
MEXICO		8,654	24	41,665	78	1	4,767	22,364	22,364	3
PERU		3,563	4,549	14,958	18,533	1,982	1,931	8,407	8,407	8,098
BRAZIL		3,901	16,024	16,717	61,484	8,799	2,741	12,019	12,019	34,013
NETHERLANDS		3,606	7,608	17,864	33,906	4,041	1,990	10,258	10,258	17,962
GERMANY WEST		768	8,974	4,130	39,001	7,289	0	0	0	31,534
USSR		2,474	26,525	6,065	131,556	15,759	908	2,206	2,206	74,116
TURKEY		4,929	0	21,693	0	0	4,929	21,693	21,693	0
IRAQ		4,685	1,584	17,644	7,631	0	1,309	5,015	5,015	0
IRAN		3,773	1,116	20,602	6,177	0	3,773	20,602	20,602	0
INDIA		32,905	35,227	135,905	133,510	17,770	16,376	65,422	65,422	68,564
PAKISTAN		5,635	2,787	19,504	9,290	1,256	3,705	12,804	12,804	4,376
BANGLADESH		7,984	6,099	34,928	20,065	2,972	0	0	0	9,630
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		39,867	0	134,825	0	0	24,092	85,512	85,512	0
KOREA, REP OF		5,478	4,542	29,554	17,897	2,550	2,363	12,752	12,752	9,774

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		1975 1/		VALUE	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
		QUANTITY	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1,000 DOL.
JAPAN		13,444	19,484	44,522	75,056	8,447	10,207	41,260	38,696		
EGYPT		45	9,858	209	42,211	45	1,454	209	5,504		
UNDENTD CTRY-CAN T/S		1,023	11,564	5,597	52,887	171	6,318	903	30,197		
OTHER		32,137	55,468	152,863	230,253	14,439	31,046	68,007	126,096		
WHEAT FLOUR	MBU	4,675	5,400	21,035	21,132	2,690	2,764	12,214	10,708		
JAMAICA		312	100	1,452	442	103	66	486	284		
HAITI		6	115	27	596	0	58	1	302		
BOLIVIA		811	30	3,688	103	255	0	1,129	0		
CHILE		62	107	255	464	11	66	48	267		
SAUDI ARABIA		1,294	956	6,215	3,558	833	481	4,117	1,810		
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		39	860	23	3,703	39	22	23	96		
PHILIPPINES		100	172	501	791	70	164	343	744		
MOROCCO		513	190	2,226	934	456	190	1,907	934		
EGYPT		0	2,324	0	8,154	0	1,453	0	5,232		
GUINEA		402	20	1,507	58	277	10	1,105	35		
OTHER		1,136	507	5,140	2,129	646	254	3,055	1,004		
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	MSTN	17	10	2,111	1,081	7	6	788	705		
NETHERLANDS		0	1	0	110	0	1	0	83		
SINGAPORE		0	1	0	116	0	0	0	0		
JAPAN		16	7	1,982	788	6	5	725	575		
OTHER		1	1	128	67	0	0	63	47		
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	MSTN	18	18	1,320	1,794	10	14	884	1,203		
MEXICO		1	0	29	3	0	0	3	0		
SAUDI ARABIA		0	1	0	172	0	0	0	61		
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		0	1	0	57	0	0	0	0		
JAPAN		18	16	1,276	1,504	10	13	875	1,125		
OTHER		0	0	14	58	0	0	6	16		
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	MSTN	26	8	2,177	624	17	6	1,463	449		
CANADA		2	1	116	48	1	0	88	21		
MEXICO		9	1	598	75	5	0	374	2		
JAPAN		15	6	1,454	500	10	5	992	427		
OTHER		0	0	10	0	0	0	9	0		
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MSTN	885	668	128,346	100,343	434	389	67,441	56,620		
CANADA		93	51	6,706	8,700	24	29	4,114	4,948		
PANAMA		33	0	6,433	9	11	0	1,673	0		
VENEZUELA		0	19	10	3,086	0	8	10	1,488		
UNITED KINGDOM		14	14	2,884	2,526	1	7	500	946		
NETHERLANDS		110	94	13,119	10,634	52	70	6,129	7,204		
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		19	20	2,860	2,598	8	20	1,501	2,598		
FRANCE		183	146	28,195	22,639	93	72	14,627	11,184		
GERMANY WEST		200	136	29,242	20,504	138	67	20,607	10,181		
HUNGARY		0	13	0	2,074	0	13	0	2,074		

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/		AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		VALUE		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.
POLAND		16	2,919	26	4,032			3	610	15			1,916				610	1,916	
SPAIN		6	943	24	3,533			0	209	18			2,607				209	2,607	
PORTUGAL		26	3,669	0				21	2,797	0			9				2,797	9	
ITALY		104	16,461	85	12,550			37	5,768	46			6,951				5,768	6,951	
OTHER		84	14,905	40	7,470			46	8,896	25			4,514				8,896	4,514	
SOYBEAN OILCAKE AND MEAL																			
CANADA	MTN	848	120,690	637	95,408			413	62,402	372			53,894				62,402	53,894	
PANAMA		92	6,532	49	8,317			24	4,038	28			4,823				4,038	4,823	
VENEZUELA		33	6,433	0				11	1,673	0			0				1,673	0	
UNITED KINGDOM		12	2,127	14	3,093			0	0	8			1,485				0	1,485	
NETHERLANDS		100	11,565	87	2,427			0	0	7			894				0	894	
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		18	2,776	20	9,695			45	4,966	64			6,502				4,966	6,502	
FRANCE		182	27,943	146	2,588			8	2,588	20			2,588				2,588	2,588	
GERMANY WEST		185	27,612	120	22,565			93	14,510	72			11,142				14,510	11,142	
HUNGARY		0	0	13	18,936			130	19,732	60			9,577				19,732	9,577	
POLAND		15	2,704	24	2,074			2	441	13			2,074				441	2,074	
SPAIN		5	698	23	3,645			0	0	13			1,697				0	1,697	
PORTUGAL		26	3,669	0				21	2,797	0			2,467				2,797	2,467	
ITALY		104	16,357	85	12,516			37	5,692	46			6,926				5,692	6,926	
OTHER		75	12,275	37	6,266			42	7,089	23			3,721				7,089	3,721	
FLAXSEED																			
NETHERLANDS	MTN	26	225	61	407			22	213	0			0				213	0	
GERMANY WEST		22	213	0				22	213	0			0				213	0	
UNIONTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		0	0	61	407			0	0	0			0				0	0	
OTHER		4	12	0				0	0	0			0				0	0	
SOYBEANS																			
CANADA	MTN	48,270	322,719	64,458	386,311			21,157	151,287	33,422			200,401				151,287	200,401	
MEXICO		2,977	21,236	2,526	14,490			1,312	10,562	1,209			7,131				10,562	7,131	
NORWAY		1,000	20,569	0				2,339	15,865	0			0				15,865	0	
DENMARK		1,060	6,753	549	2,981			1,000	6,753	0			0				6,753	0	
UNITED KINGDOM		0	7,940	1,060	6,096			511	4,016	529			3,070				4,016	3,070	
NETHERLANDS		10,351	67,917	2,208	12,971			0	0	1,163			7,157				0	7,157	
FRANCE		1,850	77,172	13,504	77,172			4,652	35,455	8,480			46,933				35,455	46,933	
GERMANY WEST		1,850	5,644	784	5,644			791	6,448	0			0				6,448	0	
SPAIN		1,974	12,764	4,998	31,472			381	2,574	2,267			13,570				2,574	13,570	
ITALY		5,184	32,543	3,527	22,126			945	6,143	1,378			9,442				6,143	9,442	
ISRAEL		2,741	18,866	4,535	26,906			1,272	9,780	2,922			17,857				9,780	17,857	
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		1,520	9,228	3,422	27,778			1,520	9,228	1,155			8,116				9,228	8,116	
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		3,365	22,864	0				1,180	7,744	0			0				7,744	0	
JAPAN		970	6,108	3,806	20,649			970	6,108	1,296			6,935				6,108	6,935	
UNIONTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		8,722	56,803	18,639	108,796			3,251	22,293	9,531			59,043				22,293	59,043	
OTHER		3,003	21,578	1,391	7,948			448	3,686	460			2,771				3,686	2,771	
COTTONSEED OIL																			
CANADA	MLR	86,518	27,945	113,390	28,022			36,689	12,606	43,697			10,517				12,606	10,517	
		5,749	1,428	3,939	1,211			2,022	664	2,272			711				664	711	

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST			AUGUST			VALUE	
		QUANTITY	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1975 1/
				1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC									
VENEZUELA		4,414	0	1,294	0	0	0	0	0
SWEDEN		17,388	32,287	5,873	8,850	10,861	3,667	5,770	5,770
GERMANY WEST		3,860	0	1,498	0	2,207	0	858	0
SWITZERLAND		0	11,023	0	4,299	0	0	0	0
IRAN		0	2,204	0	628	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		3,160	0	1,279	0	0	0	0	0
NEW ZEALAND		4,278	2,205	1,432	619	4,278	1,432	388	388
EGYPT		3,273	486	1,249	143	3,012	486	1,145	143
OTHER		41,100	58,755	12,624	11,501	13,301	18,205	4,445	3,388
		3,294	2,491	1,267	770	1,007	245	396	117
SOYBEAN OIL	MLB	338,626	78,766	104,621	26,704	93,279	13,434	30,195	4,510
CANADA		11,322	6,336	3,070	2,064	3,864	3,112	1,274	1,038
MEXICO		33,695	6,063	8,076	2,249	11,813	2,091	3,636	823
PANAMA		6,455	5,664	1,624	2,419	159	16	85	8
HAITI		2,022	4,969	744	1,474	1,859	2,727	690	884
ECUADOR		330	1,983	135	538	290	1,983	119	538
PERU		14,855	0	3,524	0	406	0	159	0
CHILE		13,969	43	3,785	15	805	43	316	15
YUGOSLAVIA		11,244	0	3,185	0	0	0	0	0
IRAN		91,078	19,885	27,683	8,106	23,317	0	5,785	0
INDIA		25,926	0	8,779	0	24,028	0	8,122	0
PAKISTAN		17,597	14,105	6,578	3,999	5,030	0	2,167	0
BANGLADESH		24,358	8,697	8,748	2,309	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		23,207	763	7,767	226	6,690	13	2,368	7
AUSTRALIA		2,262	4,448	787	1,232	7	1,447	3	387
MOROCCO		22,924	250	6,877	146	1,445	250	551	146
TUNISIA		8,472	0	3,001	0	1,740	0	651	0
GUINEA		4,296	3,297	1,577	991	0	0	0	0
OTHER		24,616	2,261	8,682	938	11,827	1,750	4,269	665
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MLR	101,121	63,683	120,382	94,601	51,867	39,458	63,093	59,442
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		1,015	885	1,014	2,170	561	176	209	455
SWEDEN		4,145	3,309	5,937	6,000	2,784	2,284	4,266	4,280
NORWAY		1,702	1,689	2,216	2,628	1,131	896	1,496	1,359
DENMARK		1,253	2,253	1,378	3,505	443	1,851	588	2,808
UNITED KINGDOM		7,900	1,488	9,239	3,549	3,315	1,093	5,303	3,473
IRELAND		2,647	0	2,976	0	2,146	0	2,724	0
NETHERLANDS		8,348	3,592	9,321	4,918	4,195	1,595	4,918	2,318
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		4,500	1,459	4,921	2,011	1,386	1,212	1,512	1,640
GERMANY WEST		33,438	17,467	37,584	25,182	20,680	10,282	22,911	15,165
SWITZERLAND		9,734	3,395	12,864	3,497	4,703	1,112	5,919	634
MALAYSIA		1,321	1,716	1,563	2,849	442	604	571	1,017
PHILIPPINES		333	5,311	492	7,572	175	3,227	296	4,750
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		6,585	0	8,403	0	109	0	294	0
AUSTRALIA		384	3,015	674	4,625	378	2,013	661	3,006
EGYPT		3,593	8,864	3,984	12,309	3,593	8,838	3,984	12,291
OTHER		14,225	9,241	17,815	13,726	5,826	4,336	7,441	6,242

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE 1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
		QUANTITY 1974	1975 1/ 1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY 1974	1975 1/ 1,000 DOL.		
BURLEY TOBACCO	MLB	11,493	5,994	4,522	3,788	6,565	7,010
BRAZIL		503	0	179	0	316	0
SWEDEN		984	705	836	567	1,395	1,167
NORWAY		76	141	233	35	80	58
FINLAND		219	120	59	50	99	120
DENMARK		365	87	187	0	302	0
UNITED KINGDOM		133	611	611	611	109	1,311
NETHERLANDS		756	143	297	66	481	106
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		370	29	33	29	18	46
GERMANY WEST		4,906	1,705	2,340	829	3,030	1,621
SWITZERLAND		314	4	11	0	17	0
SYRIAN ARAB REP		2,073	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES		288	2,003	130	1,293	241	2,122
OTHER		506	447	329	308	478	459
FLUE-CURED TOBACCO	MLB	59,912	46,523	33,110	30,337	43,183	46,580
SWEDEN		2,875	2,599	1,948	1,716	2,871	3,113
NORWAY		1,260	1,126	703	485	970	800
DENMARK		670	1,987	238	1,681	286	2,796
UNITED KINGDOM		4,755	230	2,472	230	4,016	389
IRELAND		1,840	0	1,710	0	2,683	0
NETHERLANDS		3,466	2,513	2,469	1,400	3,068	2,203
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		2,893	935	1,066	751	1,321	1,185
GERMANY WEST		24,344	14,363	15,838	8,761	19,295	13,265
SWITZERLAND		2,216	1,676	833	232	1,072	367
MALAYSIA		900	1,343	320	473	529	1,010
PHILIPPINES		46	3,307	46	1,934	56	2,626
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		6,585	0	109	0	294	0
AUSTRALIA		46	2,633	46	1,659	89	2,681
NEW ZEALAND		992	678	731	418	1,189	826
EGYPT		3,242	8,738	3,242	8,738	3,596	12,155
OTHER		3,782	4,397	1,339	1,858	1,849	3,166
MARYLAND TOBACCO	MLB	3,195	880	1,104	564	1,434	756
NETHERLANDS		500	30	236	0	333	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		575	235	141	202	154	245
FRANCE		0	181	0	181	0	286
GERMANY WEST		647	190	252	116	284	138
SWITZERLAND		1,223	189	403	10	538	9
SPAIN		0	55	0	55	0	78
PORTUGAL		180	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		53	0	53	0	96	0
OTHER		18	0	18	0	28	0
BULK SMOKING TOBACCO	MLB	8,393	1,029	4,295	66	6,316	155
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		447	500	47	0	67	0

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		1975 1/		1975 1/		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1974	1,000 DOL.	1974	1,000 DOL.	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		185	323	10	323	16	16	78	0	145	0
ECUADOR		31	39	48	39	69	69	0	24	0	35
PERU		193	271	0	271	0	0	193	0	271	0
FINLAND		482	0	0	672	0	0	161	0	224	0
UNITED KINGDOM		116	248	44	248	133	133	76	27	169	84
AUSTRIA		222	285	0	285	0	0	222	0	285	0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		170	204	364	204	454	454	0	0	0	0
SWITZERLAND		5,053	7,584	0	7,584	0	0	2,729	0	4,003	0
AUSTRALIA		195	326	3	326	8	8	190	3	313	9
CANARY ISLANDS		707	913	0	913	0	0	376	0	485	0
OTHER		591	823	61	823	46	46	222	12	355	27
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS, CANNED	MLR	22,264	5,570	22,447	5,570	6,109	6,109	11,625	11,664	2,995	3,223
CANADA		9,005	2,008	6,978	2,008	1,798	1,798	4,942	3,995	1,111	1,029
MEXICO		2,391	463	1,670	463	361	361	1,141	611	222	125
PANAMA		305	96	979	96	282	282	171	501	56	148
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		610	166	561	166	145	145	336	273	93	96
VENEZUELA		99	34	1,267	34	170	170	19	251	8	43
SWEDEN		312	154	285	154	95	95	98	86	60	30
DENMARK		172	153	172	153	57	57	458	92	144	31
UNITED KINGDOM		764	209	615	209	247	247	659	198	191	102
FRANCE		821	193	687	193	201	201	276	316	63	83
GERMANY WEST		759	129	759	129	236	236	207	285	47	95
SAUDI ARABIA		215	63	349	63	124	124	139	172	45	58
SINGAPORE		265	72	503	72	131	131	193	267	55	75
HONG KONG		619	178	2,116	178	639	639	395	1,090	122	324
JAPAN		430	113	1,438	113	388	388	80	1,073	29	286
AUSTRALIA		1,369	403	391	403	94	94	721	389	158	93
OTHER		3,993	1,138	3,717	1,138	1,101	1,101	1,790	2,065	590	606
PULSES	MLR	102,661	23,442	54,092	23,442	7,531	7,531	55,384	26,600	15,378	3,854
CANADA		708	137	1,012	137	189	189	294	649	78	119
MEXICO		41,963	9,611	2,262	9,611	410	410	20,000	1,010	7,620	180
COSTA RICA		3,501	1,423	22	1,423	5	5	1,230	22	484	5
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		0	0	2,437	0	379	379	0	1,887	0	182
COLOMBIA		1,896	483	547	483	77	77	291	329	52	46
VENEZUELA		3,816	819	7,187	819	1,050	1,050	3,183	3,134	685	447
BRAZIL		503	139	4,085	139	512	512	150	2,757	17	358
UNITED KINGDOM		2,231	7,636	7,636	7,636	1,019	1,019	995	5,539	217	721
NETHERLANDS		1,771	7,894	7,894	7,894	486	486	1,262	346	294	52
FRANCE		7,187	1,082	1,681	1,082	289	289	7,148	336	1,075	51
GERMANY WEST		4,814	430	4,814	430	71	71	4,601	198	1,100	37
ITALY		2,161	593	473	593	93	93	665	305	215	53
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		120	11	2,099	11	201	201	80	1,231	7	117
JAPAN		5,954	646	7,551	646	1,006	1,006	1,472	4,590	143	641
ALGERIA		16,106	4,082	941	4,082	240	240	7,177	0	1,815	0
OTHER		9,931	2,408	7,856	2,408	1,505	1,505	6,836	4,264	1,578	844

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		1975 1/		1975 1/		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
						1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
BEANS, DRIED											
CANADA	MLB	79,045	31,632	18,216	4,308	42,389	15,692	12,375	2,365	12,375	2,365
MEXICO		543	822	112	158	234	512	66	97	66	97
COSTA RICA		41,797	2,010	9,574	364	19,951	975	7,608	172	7,608	172
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		3,370	0	1,368	0	1,099	0	450	0	450	0
VENEZUELA		0	2,437	0	379	0	1,887	0	182	0	182
UNITED KINGDOM		157	589	35	99	157	146	35	36	35	36
NETHERLANDS		1,034	5,756	191	801	394	4,450	78	600	78	600
FRANCE		572	7,817	135	477	505	308	123	48	123	48
JAPAN		7,187	1,408	1,082	255	7,148	219	1,075	40	1,075	40
AUSTRALIA		2,494	6,782	268	929	934	4,551	75	637	75	637
NEW ZEALAND		393	347	134	90	345	186	115	56	115	56
ALGERIA		0	416	0	105	0	416	0	105	0	105
OTHER		16,106	0	4,082	0	7,177	0	1,815	0	1,815	0
		5,393	3,248	1,215	652	4,446	2,042	935	393	935	393
PEAS, INCLUDING COW AND CHICK, DRIED											
COLOMBIA	MLB	14,042	19,614	2,740	2,522	7,661	9,974	1,623	1,262	1,623	1,262
VENEZUELA		550	547	120	77	110	329	23	46	23	46
SURINAM		3,441	5,887	739	778	2,961	2,779	636	364	636	364
BRAZIL		361	87	80	10	361	0	80	0	80	0
DENMARK		3,915	122	122	497	0	2,607	0	342	0	342
UNITED KINGDOM		450	10	95	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRELAND		1,198	1,880	264	218	601	1,090	139	121	139	121
NETHERLANDS		0	701	0	86	0	232	0	26	0	26
GERMANY WEST		485	77	92	9	485	39	92	4	92	4
SPAIN		335	117	64	14	222	0	40	0	40	0
SINGAPORE		446	193	89	31	347	36	67	6	67	6
CHINA, REP OF (TAIWAN)		0	538	0	72	0	260	0	26	0	26
JAPAN		40	2,099	4	201	0	1,231	0	117	0	117
AUSTRALIA		3,460	769	378	77	538	39	67	4	67	4
OTHER PAC ISLS, NEC		366	44	77	8	321	36	68	7	68	7
OTHER		817	0	160	0	757	0	148	0	148	0
		1,742	2,752	456	440	958	1,297	262	198	262	198
LETTUCE, FRESH											
CANADA	MLB	15,014	19,589	1,465	1,958	6,940	10,985	670	1,064	670	1,064
MEXICO		10,765	13,820	902	1,075	4,105	8,073	325	636	325	636
BERMUDA		873	593	70	51	603	475	46	41	46	41
BAHAMAS		165	163	33	27	85	56	16	10	16	10
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		270	207	39	33	157	99	18	17	99	17
HONG KONG		153	181	30	35	99	84	18	18	84	18
OTHER		2,630	4,490	363	715	1,828	2,130	237	327	237	327
		159	134	27	22	63	68	10	15	68	15
POTATOES, FRESH, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES											
CANADA	MLB	176,333	107,681	7,799	4,914	36,203	19,526	1,556	985	1,556	985
BAHAMAS		170,350	103,236	7,191	4,512	34,019	17,680	1,289	797	1,289	797
AUSTRALIA		1,089	947	104	122	470	365	43	38	43	38
OTHER		1,044	0	231	0	564	0	123	0	123	0
		3,850	3,498	273	281	1,151	1,481	101	149	101	149

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TABLE 10.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.	
		QUANTITY	1975 1/	1974	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1974	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1974	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1974	1975 1/	1,000 DOL.
TOMATOES, FRESH	MLB	33,960	32,993	4,984	5,921	11,778	8,664	1,735	1,395	11,778	8,664	1,735	1,395	11,778	8,664	1,735	1,395
CANADA		32,739	31,894	4,775	5,659	11,153	7,918	1,630	1,237	11,153	7,918	1,630	1,237	11,153	7,918	1,630	1,237
MEXICO		870	294	103	35	429	193	48	22	429	193	48	22	429	193	48	22
OTHER		351	805	105	227	195	552	57	136	195	552	57	136	195	552	57	136
HOPS	MLB	610	867	872	942	283	251	517	290	283	251	517	290	283	251	517	290
MEXICO		69	0	53	0	67	0	52	0	67	0	52	0	67	0	52	0
COLOMBIA		73	0	326	0	59	0	277	0	59	0	277	0	59	0	277	0
PERU		33	0	35	0	33	0	35	0	33	0	35	0	33	0	35	0
BRAZIL		292	691	299	761	65	207	74	239	65	207	74	239	65	207	74	239
URUGUAY		18	0	20	0	18	0	20	0	18	0	20	0	18	0	20	0
ARGENTINA		24	0	46	0	23	0	42	0	23	0	42	0	23	0	42	0
JAPAN		2	55	2	50	2	22	2	20	2	22	2	20	2	22	2	20
NIGERIA		59	90	57	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		42	31	34	41	16	22	16	31	16	22	16	31	16	22	16	31

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TABLE 11.U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO EC (9)

COMMODITY	UNIT	QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY				QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY			
		JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
VARIABLE-LEVY COMMODITIES: 2/									
FEED GRAINS									
CORN	MT	1,768	71,477	217,085	271,457	606	38,602	78,433	142,645
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	1,463	71,121	185,498	235,629	498	38,461	67,067	129,517
BARLEY	MT	293	338	30,273	33,548	106	136	11,138	12,657
OATS	MT	0	19	0	2,280	0	5	0	471
CORN BY-PRODUCTS	MT	12	0	1,314	0	2	0	227	0
RICE	MT	0	17	0	1,984	0	7	0	825
RYE GRAIN	MT	9	8	4,931	3,410	3	6	1,643	2,482
WHEAT GRAIN	MT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	177	609	11,888	99,500	78	386	15,458	60,992
BEEF AND VEAL, EX VARIETY MEATS	LB	428	335	300	132	1	0	174	71
PORK, EX VARIETY MEATS	LB	271	450	368	387	270	231	204	224
LARD 3/	LB	12,769	162	159	401	98	105	60	73
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	2,954	64	912	75	194	28
POULTRY AND EGGS	---	---	---	144	8	---	---	46	3
LIVE POULTRY	---	---	---	3,949	4,921	---	---	1,675	2,311
BROILERS AND FRYERS	---	---	---	209	230	---	---	65	184
STEWING CHICKENS	---	---	---	47	109	---	---	0	59
TURKEYS	---	---	---	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER FRESH POULTRY	---	---	---	2,484	4,064	2,024	2,838	1,140	1,836
EGGS	---	---	---	9	29	3	37	4	28
OTHER	---	---	---	1,200	489	---	---	465	204
	---	---	---	5,449	11,129	---	---	2,301	2,172
TOTAL VARIABLE-LEVY ITEMS	---	---	---	269,227	393,393	---	---	100,186	211,826
NONVARIABLE-LEVY COMMODITIES: 1/									
CANNED POULTRY 4/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, EX LINTERS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FRESH FRUITS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CITRUS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ORANGES AND TANGERINES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LEMON AND LIMES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GRAPEFRUITS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
APPLES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GRAPES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
DRIED FRUITS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GRAPES (RAISINS)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PRUNES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FRUIT JUICES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ORANGE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GRAPEFRUIT	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CANNED FRUITS 5/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PEACHES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FRUIT COCKTAIL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PINEAPPLES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER FRUITS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 11.U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO EC (9)

QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/		1974		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
NONVARIABLE-LEVY COMMODITIES--CON:															
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS															
PULSE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
DRIED BEANS	LB	18,814	8,999	19,089	5,476	---	---	14,808	5,920	---	---	7,028	2,933	---	2,923
DRIED PEAS	LB	9,906	3,815	15,643	2,098	---	---	9,097	2,933	---	---	3,445	1,500	---	956
FRESH VEGETABLES	LB	8,908	2,177	3,445	1,657	---	---	5,710	1,583	---	---	1,583	1,433	---	777
CANNED VEGETABLES	LB	109	30	120	27	---	---	39	11	---	---	40	11	---	179
ASPARAGUS	LB	3,072	817	2,512	817	---	---	1,717	491	---	---	1,052	491	---	353
OTHER	LB	307	108	68	31	---	---	263	96	---	---	68	31	---	31
HOPS	LB	2,766	709	2,445	786	---	---	1,453	395	---	---	984	395	---	322
OTHER VEGETABLES & PREPARATIONS	---	0	0	5	5	---	---	0	0	---	---	0	0	---	0
HIDES AND SKINS	---	---	4,338	---	2,529	---	---	---	2,485	---	---	---	2,485	---	1,606
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	NO	---	9,727	---	6,083	---	---	---	4,616	---	---	---	4,616	---	2,341
CALF AND KIP SKINS	NO	281	4,543	145	1,768	---	---	168	2,676	---	---	83	2,676	---	889
OTHER	---	46	331	21	73	---	---	16	137	---	---	7	137	---	29
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	4,854	---	4,242	---	---	---	1,804	---	---	---	1,804	---	1,424
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	---	---	236,568	---	254,143	---	---	---	117,353	---	---	---	117,353	---	140,632
SOYBEAN	MT	578	94,346	452	72,272	---	---	299	49,336	---	---	260	49,336	---	39,826
OTHER	MT	553	89,716	431	69,432	---	---	284	46,364	---	---	248	46,364	---	38,334
OILSEEDS	MT	25	4,631	21	2,840	---	---	15	2,971	---	---	12	2,971	---	1,492
SOYBEANS	MT	489	125,542	770	174,179	---	---	207	59,346	---	---	451	59,346	---	99,188
FLAXSEED	MT	1	120,386	2	167,303	---	---	1	58,274	---	---	0	213	---	95,589
OTHER	---	---	213	---	407	---	---	---	858	---	---	---	858	---	3,599
VEGETABLE OILS	---	---	4,942	---	6,470	---	---	---	858	---	---	---	858	---	3,599
COTTONSEED	LB	40,134	15,939	15,500	5,845	---	---	20,058	8,509	---	---	3,074	8,509	---	1,115
SOYBEAN	LB	114	57	11,024	4,300	---	---	110	55	---	---	1	55	---	1,115
LINSEED	LB	560	148	3	1	---	---	5	3	---	---	3	3	---	1
OTHER	---	---	7,544	---	561	---	---	8,607	3,800	---	---	2,222	3,800	---	561
TALLOW, INEDIBLE	LB	17,414	7,544	2,222	561	---	---	8,607	3,800	---	---	2,222	3,800	---	561
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	22,046	8,190	2,251	983	---	---	11,335	4,651	---	---	849	4,651	---	552
VARIETY MEATS, FRESH OR FROZEN 4/	LB	75,946	15,521	9,370	1,385	---	---	26,876	5,874	---	---	7,220	5,874	---	1,115
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	LB	59,152	65,979	27,045	39,855	---	---	32,540	38,176	---	---	16,627	38,176	---	26,061
CORN GLUTEN FEED	LB	41,601	15,742	28,869	12,215	---	---	21,002	7,993	---	---	17,480	7,993	---	7,393
FOOD FOR RELIEF AND CHARITY	MT	---	6,589	---	13,115	---	---	---	4,339	---	---	---	4,339	---	8,676
OTHER	---	---	11,775	264	12,092	---	---	45	5,143	---	---	194	5,143	---	5,193
TOTAL NONVARIABLE-LEVY ITEMS	---	---	41	---	37	---	---	---	6	---	---	---	6	---	37
	---	---	33,164	---	33,164	---	---	---	16,287	---	---	---	16,287	---	16,520
	---	---	431,523	---	413,383	---	---	---	220,029	---	---	---	220,029	---	228,943
TOTAL	---	---	700,750	---	806,776	---	---	---	320,216	---	---	---	320,216	---	440,769

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TABLE 12. U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO EC (6) QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		AUGUST		1975 1/		1974		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
NONVARIABLE-LEVY COMMODITIES--CON:															
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS															
PULSE	---	---	---	---	6,199	---	2,427	---	---	---	---	---	---	4,305	1,181
DRIED BEANS	LB	16,132	10,739	---	3,266	---	988	---	---	1,257	---	13,813	---	2,716	208
DRIED PEAS	LB	8,872	9,884	---	1,447	---	856	---	---	996	---	8,704	---	1,422	177
FRESH VEGETABLES	LB	7,260	855	---	1,819	---	132	---	---	261	---	5,109	---	1,293	32
CANNED VEGETABLES	LB	86	73	---	20	---	13	---	---	35	---	21	---	4	5
ASPARAGUS	LB	1,807	1,725	---	452	---	513	---	---	763	---	599	---	156	220
OTHER	LB	70	0	---	17	---	0	---	---	0	---	33	---	8	0
HOPS	LB	1,736	1,725	---	435	---	513	---	---	763	---	567	---	148	220
OTHER VEGETABLES & PREPARATIONS	LB	0	0	---	0	---	0	---	---	0	---	0	---	0	0
HIDES AND SKINS	---	---	---	---	2,461	---	1,113	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,430	748
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	---	---	---	---	8,419	---	4,325	---	---	---	---	---	---	4,100	1,703
CALF AND KIP SKINS	NO	268	133	---	4,344	---	1,560	---	---	77	---	157	---	2,527	801
OTHER	NO	46	21	---	331	---	73	---	---	7	---	16	---	137	29
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	3,744	---	2,691	---	---	---	---	---	---	1,436	873
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	---	---	---	222,648	---	228,255	---	---	---	---	---	---	112,154	127,153
SOYBEAN	MT	558	436	---	89,878	---	68,925	---	---	250	---	298	---	48,631	38,118
OTHER	MT	534	415	---	86,252	---	66,300	---	---	238	---	284	---	46,364	36,734
OILSEEDS	MT	23	21	---	3,626	---	2,625	---	---	11	---	14	---	2,267	1,384
SOYBEANS	MT	---	---	---	116,969	---	153,000	---	---	---	---	---	---	55,259	88,391
FLAXSEED	MT	460	681	---	112,446	---	148,236	---	---	405	---	193	---	54,258	85,362
OTHER	MT	1	2	---	213	---	407	---	---	0	---	1	---	213	0
VEGETABLE OILS	---	---	---	---	4,309	---	4,358	---	---	---	---	---	---	788	3,029
COTTONSEED	LB	38,347	12,768	---	15,272	---	5,019	---	---	573	---	19,517	---	8,215	413
SOYBEAN	LB	2	11,024	---	1	---	4,300	---	---	1	---	2	---	1	1
LINSEED	LB	555	3	---	144	---	1	---	---	3	---	0	---	0	0
OTHER	LB	17,383	0	---	7,525	---	0	---	---	0	---	8,576	---	3,780	0
TALLOW, INEDIBLE	LB	20,407	1,742	---	7,602	---	719	---	---	570	---	10,939	---	4,434	411
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	59,110	8,047	---	12,382	---	1,154	---	---	5,897	---	22,379	---	4,944	884
VARIETY MEATS, FRESH OR FROZEN 4/	LB	47,353	23,304	---	52,387	---	32,781	---	---	13,683	---	26,636	---	29,561	19,779
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	LB	33,839	21,274	---	12,824	---	9,261	---	---	13,576	---	17,037	---	6,451	5,843
CORN GLUTEN FEED	---	---	---	---	5,054	---	9,715	---	---	---	---	---	---	3,328	6,675
FOOD FOR RELIEF AND CHARITY	MT	112	264	---	11,775	---	12,992	---	---	194	---	45	---	5,143	5,193
OTHER	---	---	---	---	35	---	36	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	36
TOTAL NONVARIABLE-LEVY ITEMS	---	---	---	---	22,134	---	24,034	---	---	---	---	---	---	9,668	11,811
---	---	---	---	---	375,285	---	353,209	---	---	---	---	---	---	190,547	194,910
TOTAL	---	---	---	---	623,292	---	710,510	---	---	---	---	---	---	282,904	395,209

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TABLE 13.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		AUGUST		VALUE
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE	NO	15	28	10,420	9,767	9	10	5,368
OTHER	---	---	---	3,978	4,531	---	---	2,599
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ANHYDROUS MILK FAT	LB	117	36	11,835	18,920	---	---	6,440
BUTTER	LB	78	146	86	41	84	1	51
CHEESE AND CURD	LB	1,503	1,162	66	83	32	75	23
MILK AND CREAM:	---	---	---	1,658	1,282	725	690	841
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	LB	5,902	8,722	1,403	2,231	2,289	4,808	575
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	LB	8,812	5,782	1,855	1,205	5,086	3,402	757
FRESH	GAL	339	330	723	765	188	171	391
NONFAT DRY	LB	759	11,487	374	6,590	369	310	194
OTHER	---	---	---	5,670	6,723	---	---	3,269
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	LB	477,806	231,038	102,620	40,394	217,707	110,300	46,359
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	LB	22,982	7,635	5,544	2,143	5,473	3,320	1,467
TALLOW:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
EDIBLE	LB	7,869	0	1,974	0	4,191	0	955
INEEDIBLE	LB	402,879	206,935	84,547	34,274	188,603	99,741	39,339
OTHER	LB	44,076	16,468	10,554	3,977	19,441	7,239	4,597
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	LB	100,376	111,633	51,095	80,221	50,772	59,463	26,786
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	LB	4,946	5,607	6,531	8,156	2,226	3,264	3,325
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	LB	19,496	43,824	14,067	42,395	12,379	21,129	9,008
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	LB	60,921	45,490	21,453	18,907	29,414	26,654	10,430
OTHER	LB	15,013	16,712	9,045	10,764	6,753	8,416	4,022
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	24,577	27,867	---	---	11,189
POULTRY, LIVE:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	1,740	1,443	2,883	2,668	891	726	1,544
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	3,170	2,908	723	700	1,676	1,324	406
OTHER	---	---	---	672	864	---	---	347
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHICKENS	LB	22,544	24,946	8,985	9,689	9,146	12,383	3,443
TURKEYS	LB	5,686	8,411	3,325	5,474	2,788	4,023	1,557
OTHER	LB	2,570	1,807	1,170	907	1,238	787	587
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	1,428	544	747	386	401	206	230
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	1,769	1,929	2,253	2,669	901	954	1,076
EGGS, DRIED	DOZ	535	1,070	308	612	300	446	254
EGGS OTHERWISE PRESERVED	LB	1,060	649	1,759	977	519	301	859
	LB	289	2,728	179	1,679	161	842	100

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TABLE 13.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		AUGUST		AUGUST	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
		THOU.	THOU. 1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU. 1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU. 1,000 DOL.
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS							
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	NU	3,083	61,795	3,061	50,211	---	29,011
FURSKINS	---	---	47,666	---	38,588	1,514	22,901
OTHER	---	---	5,558	---	5,243	---	2,497
			8,572		6,381	---	3,613
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS							
HAIN, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	LB	149	9,807	---	11,286	---	4,990
SAUSAGE CASINGS	LB	2,418	155	609	178	74	85
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	LB	1,904	3,428	1,930	3,430	1,250	1,931
OTHER	CLB	---	2,422	3,061	3,548	1,085	1,260
			3,802		4,130	---	1,714
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS							
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	733	2,807,887	---	2,889,584	---	1,319,737
CUTTEN, RAW	RBA	687	184,942	712	177,992	338	71,078
LINTERS	RBA	46	182,338	682	176,764	325	69,655
			2,603	31	1,229	13	1,423
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS							
CANNED	---	---	106,334	---	125,148	---	53,937
CHERRIES	LB	30,347	7,684	---	10,552	20,901	5,316
FRUIT COCKTAIL	LB	2,464	863	5,838	1,677	1,837	634
PEACHES	LB	4,553	1,220	7,932	2,341	3,058	812
PEARS	LB	9,988	2,324	7,194	1,785	6,820	1,321
PINEAPPLES	LB	749	181	508	156	489	1,311
OTHER	LB	7,781	1,613	9,352	2,718	232	71
DRIED	LB	4,833	1,482	7,400	1,877	5,948	1,291
PRUNES	LB	17,710	8,889	46,089	18,011	2,749	1,072
GRAPES (RAISINS)	LB	7,641	2,926	22,967	7,781	28,175	5,852
OTHER	LB	7,839	4,754	18,745	7,674	10,734	1,477
FRESH	LB	2,231	1,208	4,377	2,556	3,385	3,434
APPLES	LB	513,840	72,129	508,101	75,287	5,483	3,945
BERRIES	LB	18,456	3,240	15,833	3,072	1,866	1,859
GRAPEFRUITS	LB	10,347	3,025	8,342	2,800	226,340	33,064
GRAPES	LB	55,446	7,227	38,926	5,345	9,806	1,659
LEMONS AND LIMES	LB	22,722	7,105	19,990	6,409	8,225	1,453
ORANGES, TANGERINES, AND CLEMENTINE	LB	108,807	15,593	73,937	15,305	2,929	938
PEARS	LB	134,778	14,762	184,396	20,644	24,369	3,350
OTHER	LB	12,724	2,023	10,237	1,518	12,925	3,578
FRUIT JUICES	LB	150,559	19,154	156,440	20,190	47,530	7,930
GRAPEFRUIT	GAL	7,735	14,431	7,078	19,190	61,375	9,458
ORANGE	GAL	1,025	1,485	1,144	2,090	8,529	1,153
OTHER	GAL	4,330	9,462	4,725	11,14	10,669	1,617
FROZEN FRUITS	GAL	2,561	3,484	1,604	4,570	56,737	7,464
OTHER	LB	7,722	2,265	4,725	1,129	3,812	7,584
			936		978	466	768
						2,098	4,862
						1,248	1,954
						5,809	1,670
						---	451
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS							
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	LB	4,723	11,162	---	21,256	---	6,904
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	LB	4,800	6,117	13,617	12,976	8,663	3,478
OTHER	---	---	3,403	4,747	1,798	3,531	8,591
						---	1,302
						---	2,123
						---	4,165

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TABLE 13.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST			AUGUST		
		QUANTITY	VALUE		QUANTITY	VALUE	
			1974	1975 1/		1974	1975 1/
		THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS							
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS							
FEED GRAINS	MT	5,389	1,558,243	1,683,579	---	---	741,995
BARLEY	MT	5,302	654,826	671,620	2,269	2,829	286,388
BU	5,028	2,890	643,468	663,974	2,224	2,801	351,175
CORN	BU	16,212	15,727	8,579	2,752	940	9,077
GRAIN SURGHUMS	BU	40,601	508,242	517,592	65,354	88,731	213,493
OATS	BU	2,825	114,619	137,154	19,048	20,655	55,338
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	BU	13,929	4,881	649	1,374	156	2,565
CORN GRITS AND HUMINY	LB	8,428	1,601	805	7,389	2,499	356
CORNMEAL	LB	584	624	485	3,514	2,893	250
CORN STARCH	CWT	18,988	4,683	3,202	335	191	2,665
OATMEAL AND GROATS	LB	24	3,440	2,271	9,427	6,652	1,721
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	CWT	6,714	241	655	0	26	4
RICE, MILLED BASIS	LB	47,861	770	228	3,230	236	375
MILLED	LB	334,601	112,351	86,854	174,396	225,552	41,215
HUSKED, BROWN	LB	145,260	79,267	68,196	129,037	167,908	31,759
RYE	BU	1,724	33,084	18,658	45,359	57,644	9,456
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	BU	180,637	4,487	16	156	2	465
WHEAT	BU	174,870	768,175	907,630	95,228	114,426	404,524
WHEAT FLOUR	BU	4,675	741,244	879,535	91,984	111,446	389,435
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	BU	1,093	21,035	21,132	2,690	2,764	12,214
BAKERY PRODUCTS	BU	5,375	5,896	6,963	554	216	2,876
DIETETIC FOODS	LB	7,013	2,390	3,232	2,561	3,226	1,166
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	LB	69,570	973	273	3,837	325	551
OTHER	---	---	9,219	4,633	18,137	4,413	2,731
			5,822	9,321	---	3,274	5,114
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE&MEAL							
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	STN	130	45,910	46,256	---	---	20,984
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	STN	17	12,409	15,951	52	222	5,409
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	STN	18	2,111	1,081	7	6	788
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	STN	26	1,320	1,794	10	14	884
PULTRY FEEDS, PREPARED	STN	20	2,177	624	17	6	1,463
OTHER	---	---	4,647	5,612	10	10	2,345
			23,246	21,195	---	---	10,096
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS							
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	885	644,974	588,087	---	---	291,837
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	848	128,346	100,363	434	389	67,441
OTHER	STN	37	120,690	95,408	413	372	62,402
OILSEEDS	---	---	7,656	4,956	21	17	5,038
FLAXSEED	BU	26	346,111	413,646	---	---	161,706
SOYBEANS	BU	48,270	225	407	22	0	213
SAFFLOWER SEED	LB	30,218	322,719	386,311	21,157	33,422	151,287
PEANUTS	LB	39,810	4,120	4,801	28,130	24,900	3,755
OTHER	---	---	11,142	18,097	14,338	21,403	4,018
VEG OILS AND WAXES	---	---	7,905	4,030	---	---	2,433
COTTONSEED OIL	LB	523,995	168,528	71,434	178,424	79,816	61,685
SOYBEAN OIL	LB	86,518	27,945	28,022	43,689	43,697	24,529
PEANUT OIL	LB	338,626	104,621	26,704	93,279	13,434	12,606
OTHER	LB	2,817	827	966	288	112	4,510
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	LB	96,035	35,134	15,742	21,428	1,258	627
			1,988	2,644	48,168	1,428	8,875
			1,988	2,644	1,875	1,323	1,006

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TABLE 13.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		1975 1/		AUGUST		1975 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	101,121	120,382	63,683	94,601	51,867	63,093	39,518	59,442
BURLEY	LB	11,493	15,973	5,994	10,845	4,522	6,565	3,788	7,010
CIGAR WRAPPER	LB	260	1,734	567	3,583	185	1,311	329	2,462
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	LB	4,264	3,921	1,630	2,018	1,432	1,297	437	504
FLUE-CURED	LB	59,912	77,681	46,523	72,034	33,110	43,183	30,337	46,580
MARYLAND	LB	3,195	3,858	880	1,212	1,104	1,434	564	1,556
BULK SMOKING TOBACCO	LB	8,393	12,281	1,029	1,565	4,295	6,316	66	155
OTHER	LB	13,604	4,933	7,059	3,343	7,219	2,986	3,997	1,976
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	73,180	---	59,390	---	36,269	---	24,804
CANNED	LB	22,264	5,570	22,447	6,109	11,625	2,995	11,664	3,223
ASPARAGUS	LB	809	411	193	119	549	276	128	69
CORN	LB	4,784	1,006	5,222	1,554	2,805	588	2,424	711
SOUPS	LB	2,132	636	3,231	915	1,027	310	1,751	506
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	LB	7,361	1,864	4,412	1,232	3,336	906	2,591	660
OTHER	LB	7,179	1,653	9,390	2,290	3,507	914	4,770	1,276
PULSES	LB	102,661	23,442	54,092	7,531	55,384	15,378	26,600	3,854
DRIED BEANS	LB	79,045	18,216	31,632	4,308	42,389	12,375	15,692	2,365
DRIED PEAS, INC COW AND CHICK	LB	14,042	2,740	19,614	2,522	7,661	1,623	9,974	1,262
DRIED LENTILS	LB	9,574	2,486	2,846	700	5,334	1,380	934	227
FRESH	LB	293,867	21,273	233,835	21,997	74,346	6,058	59,622	6,189
ASPARAGUS	LB	127	32	158	55	42	6	43	14
LETTUCE	LB	15,014	1,465	19,589	1,958	6,940	670	10,985	1,064
ONIONS	LB	16,994	1,371	21,847	2,824	5,938	489	7,399	944
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	LB	176,333	7,799	107,681	4,914	36,203	1,556	19,526	985
TOMATOES	LB	33,960	4,984	32,993	5,921	11,778	1,735	8,664	1,395
OTHER	LB	51,439	5,623	51,566	6,326	13,446	1,603	13,006	1,787
FROZEN VEGETABLES	LB	8,743	2,084	13,991	3,150	3,808	930	6,077	1,419
HOPS	LB	610	872	867	942	283	517	251	290
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	LB	7,266	4,966	5,816	3,243	3,952	2,719	3,360	1,872
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	GAL	234	275	514	716	113	129	247	259
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	LB	8,746	3,604	6,286	3,040	4,338	1,867	3,181	1,501
OTHER	---	---	11,093	---	12,684	---	5,677	---	6,197
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	62,760	---	93,274	---	33,641	---	44,417
COFFEE	LB	4,664	4,721	7,857	11,849	2,468	2,178	4,180	6,406
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	LB	2,204	3,036	1,749	3,284	1,356	1,884	1,010	1,837
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	LB	3,604	12,166	1,816	8,516	1,573	6,859	957	4,717
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	8,960	---	11,858	---	4,603	---	6,967
HONEY	LB	814	443	607	409	253	167	410	283
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	1,430	---	2,459	---	798	---	1,328
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	LB	41,473	10,305	24,151	6,975	22,697	5,558	5,691	2,924
SPICES	LB	1,713	1,449	1,165	1,329	854	760	553	597
OTHER	---	---	20,249	---	46,595	---	10,880	---	19,311

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Import Highlights

U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS FELL 17 PERCENT IN JULY-AUGUST 1975

Lower prices and smaller volume caused the value of agricultural imports to fall to \$1.45 billion, 17 percent below the July-August 1974 level. Prices fell for coffee, cocoa beans, rubber, beef, sugar, and vegetable oils. Imports of essential oils, tea, casein, sugar, spices, and cheese declined sharply in volume; and import volume also fell for rubber, wine, and coconut oil. Fruit and vegetable imports were down during July-August 1975. U.S. imports of bananas, cocoa beans, coffee, meat, palm oil, and tobacco increased in volume.

Sugar imports during July-August totaled 695,000 short tons and \$284 million, less than three-fifths of year-earlier levels (table 18). Sugar import unit value, \$409 per short ton, was slightly below the year-earlier value of \$415 and down sharply from the \$617 recorded for the fourth quarter of fiscal 1975. The Dominican Republic was the largest supplier of sugar, with shipments valued at \$109 million. Imports from the Philippines were only \$6.7 million.

July-August green coffee imports were valued at \$257 million, up 20 percent from last year. Import volume was up 32 percent. Imports from Brazil, Mexico, and Colombia were well above year-earlier levels. Coffee imports from Angola fell from \$32 million during July-August 1974 to \$1 million.

U.S. meat imports during July-August 1975 were above the year-earlier value and volume. Beef and veal imports fell from \$131 million to \$120 million despite a 24-percent volume increase. Import unit value was three-quarters of the July-August 1974 value. Fresh and frozen beef and veal imports from Australia were up 91 percent in volume and 51 percent in value. Imports from New Zealand dropped 12 percent in volume and 31 percent in value. Pork imports during July-August were up 58 percent in value and 8 percent in volume from the year-earlier levels. Canned ham imports from Poland totaled 14.1 million pounds, compared with 3.7 million pounds for July-August 1974.

Import unit value for vegetable oils fell from 43 cents per pound in July-August 1974 to 22 cents per pound. The value of vegetable oil imports fell to \$75 million despite a 32-percent increase in volume. Import unit values declined for coconut oil, palm oil, and palm kernel oil. Volume fell 66 percent for coconut oil and rose 161 percent for palm oil.

Rubber imports were valued at \$59 million during July-August, compared with \$99 million last year. Import volume was down 13 percent and unit value for rubber imports was down 31 percent.

Table 14.--U.S. agricultural imports by selected commodities

Commodity	Unit	July-August		August	
		Quantity		Quantity	
		1974	1975	1974	1975
		-- Thousands --		-- Thousands --	
		-- 1,000 dollars --		-- 1,000 dollars --	
Live animals, excluding poultry	---	---	---	---	---
Meat and preparations, ex. poultry	Lb.	242,741	297,038	14,439	7,876
Beef and veal	do.	191,448	236,984	194,676	98,719
Pork	do.	44,704	48,178	120,050	78,745
Dairy products, excluding eggs	---	---	---	---	---
Poultry and poultry products	---	---	---	---	---
Grains and preparations	---	---	---	---	---
Wheat and flour	Bu.	509	56	374	352
Rice	Lb.	535	137	62	79
Feed grains	Mton	117	75	51	8,181
Other	---	---	---	---	8,609
Fruits, nuts, and preparations	---	---	---	---	58,308
Bananas	Lb.	633,033	749,078	42,883	14,802
Vegetables and preparations	---	---	---	---	20,363
Sugar and preparations, inc. honey	---	---	---	---	21,039
Sugar, cane or beet	---	---	---	---	273,119
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, etc.	---	---	---	---	124,202
Coffee, green	Lb.	528,389	620,447	284,158	261,734
Cocoa beans	do.	350,676	462,076	353,421	319,332
Feeds and fodders	do.	51,872	65,120	257,006	148,881
Protein meal	---	---	---	---	92,612
Beverages, ex. distilled alcoholic	---	---	---	---	16,343
Tobacco, unmanufactured	---	---	---	---	5,373
Hides, skins, and furskins	---	---	---	---	38
Oilseeds	---	---	---	---	31,330
Soybeans	Lb.	7,075	6,624	9,583	12,618
Wool, unmanufactured	---	---	---	---	13,539
Cotton, unmanufactured	Rble	13	6	20,124	12,269
Fats, oils, and greases	Lb.	5,230	3,943	8	3,188
Vegetable oils and waxes	---	---	---	---	0
Rubber and allied gums	do.	291,101	255,207	112,906	1,554
Other	---	---	---	---	145,733
Total	---	---	---	---	135,052
		1,752,346		854,064	
		1,449,753		687,698	
		1/ Less than 500.			

Table 15.--U.S. agricultural imports: Value by commodity, July-August and August 1974 and 1975

Commodity or commodity group	July-August		Change	August		Change
	1974	1975		1974	1975	
	Million dollars		Percent	Million dollars		Percent
<u>Complementary</u>						
Bananas, fresh	31	43	+39	15	20	+33
Cocoa and chocolate:						
Cocoa beans	36	35	-3	16	15	-6
Cocoa butter	11	5	-54	7	3	-57
Cocoa cake, powder, & coatings:	7	8	+14	3	3	---
Coffee:						
Coffee, green or crude	213	257	+21	93	141	+52
Coffee, soluble	20	12	-40	9	6	-33
Drugs, crude	12	11	-8	6	5	-17
Essential oils	22	6	-73	11	4	-64
Fibers, unmanufactured	9	3	-67	6	1	-83
Rubber, crude:						
Rubber, crude, dry form	91	55	-40	39	30	-23
Rubber, latex	7	4	-43	2	2	---
Silk, raw	0	1	---	0	0	---
Spices	20	13	-35	8	5	-37
Tea, crude	17	12	-29	7	6	-14
Wool, carpet	4	2	-50	2	1	-50
Other complementary products	17	14	-18	7	8	+14
Total complementary products	517	481	-7	231	250	+8
<u>Supplementary</u>						
Animals and animal products:						
Cattle and calves	13	7	-46	5	4	-20
Dairy products and eggs	43	32	-26	22	15	-32
Hides and skins, in. furskins :	23	25	+9	14	12	-14
Meats and meat products, ex. :						
poultry:						
Beef and veal	131	120	-8	79	64	-19
Pork	42	66	+57	17	27	+59
Other meats and products	7	9	+29	3	4	+33
Sausage casings	7	6	-14	4	3	-25
Wool, apparel	4	4	---	2	3	+50
Other animals and products	40	26	-35	16	12	-25
Total animals and products	310	295	-5	162	144	-11
Cotton, raw, excluding linters ..	4	0	---	2	0	---
Feeds and fodders	10	8	-20	5	3	-40
Fruits and preparations	37	34	-8	17	16	-6
Grains and preparations	38	31	-18	17	17	---
Nuts & preparations, edible	38	35	-8	21	18	-14
Oilseeds, oilnuts, & products ..						
Coconut oil	60	20	-67	13	12	-8
Copra	0	0	---	0	0	---
Olive oil, edible	7	6	-14	3	4	+33
Other oilseeds and products ..	52	58	+12	31	20	-35
Seeds, cut flowers, and nursery :						
stock, excluding oilseeds	8	10	+25	6	5	-17
Sugar and molasses:						
Sugar, cane or beet	495	284	-43	262	109	-58
Molasses, inedible	16	13	-19	6	6	---
Tobacco, unmanufactured	28	40	+43	13	19	+46
Vegetables and preparations	47	46	-2	23	21	-9
Wines and malt beverages:						
Wines	47	43	-8	24	22	-8
Malt beverages	14	18	+29	8	9	+13
Other supplementary vegetable						
products	25	28	+12	10	13	+30
Total supplementary products	1,236	969	-22	623	438	-30
Total agricultural imports	1,752	1,450	-17	854	688	-19

Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 16.--U.S. agricultural imports: Value by months, January 1963 to December 1975

Months	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969 1/	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 2/
-- Million dollars --													
January	232.9	331.7	175.1	352.7	413.0	414.7	208.6	491.0	506.6	575.6	648.9	786.9	810.9
February	374.3	294.5	269.3	371.2	353.7	402.4	315.6	457.5	419.7	591.6	615.3	819.4	693.9
March	352.7	381.7	420.3	430.7	412.9	369.7	474.8	523.9	499.6	506.6	658.9	984.2	749.0
January-March	959.9	1,007.9	864.7	1,154.6	1,179.6	1,186.8	999.0	1,472.4	1,425.9	1,673.8	1,923.1	2,590.5	2,253.8
April	348.4	361.2	368.5	383.0	362.8	439.5	487.9	514.5	554.4	489.5	696.5	877.8	761.9
May	323.3	328.6	337.9	358.1	337.0	434.3	438.1	443.5	477.9	529.0	786.5	890.1	688.4
June	295.7	314.1	344.6	387.1	364.8	386.7	430.0	499.4	529.8	520.6	664.4	841.7	827.3
April-June	967.4	1,003.9	1,051.0	1,128.2	1,064.6	1,260.6	1,356.0	1,457.4	1,562.1	1,539.1	2,147.4	2,609.6	2,277.6
January-June	1,927.3	2,011.8	1,915.7	2,282.8	2,244.2	2,447.4	2,355.0	2,929.8	2,988.0	3,212.9	4,070.5	5,200.1	4,531.4
July	335.2	316.7	260.3	342.6	346.8	438.6	434.0	461.7	489.0	471.6	635.0	897.9	762.0
August	346.7	315.2	318.7	352.6	369.4	442.1	407.7	463.8	555.1	563.7	720.4	854.1	687.7
September	343.1	338.4	354.0	415.3	347.7	460.3	398.6	469.0	650.5	547.1	639.8	751.1	
July-September	1,025.0	970.3	933.0	1,110.5	1,063.9	1,341.0	1,240.3	1,394.5	1,694.6	1,582.4	1,995.2	2,503.1	
October	374.3	347.7	411.0	388.1	376.3	396.0	469.1	480.3	302.5	573.6	712.2	740.9	
November	317.5	381.6	398.8	358.6	379.7	419.4	411.2	442.9	298.2	547.7	862.5	837.3	
December	367.1	370.6	428.1	351.6	388.3	419.8	481.8	522.3	540.2	550.2	778.6	965.6	
October-December	1,058.9	1,099.9	1,237.9	1,098.3	1,144.3	1,235.2	1,362.1	1,445.5	1,140.9	1,671.5	2,353.3	2,543.8	
July-December	2,083.9	2,070.2	2,170.9	2,208.8	2,208.2	2,576.2	2,602.4	2,840.0	2,835.5	3,253.9	4,348.5	5,046.9	
January-December 3/.....	4,011.2	4,082.0	4,086.6	4,491.4	4,452.2	5,023.6	4,957.2	5,769.8	5,823.4	6,466.9	8,419.0	10,247.0	
Monthly average	334.3	340.2	340.5	374.3	371.0	418.6	413.1	480.8	485.2	538.9	701.6	853.9	

1/ Monthly totals for July-December 1969 do not include furskins.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 17.--Average unit values for principal imported agricultural products,
July-August 1974 and 1975 and August 1974 and 1975

Commodity	Unit	July-August		August	
		1974	1975	1974	1975
-- Dollars --					
Cattle, 200-700 lbs.	No.	148.20	128.06	195.63	279.22
Cattle, 700 lbs. and over	do.	553.75	471.12	538.44	448.55
Swine, live	do.	73.99	156.44	94.04	156.73
Beef, boneless, fresh or frozen	Lb.	.60	.48	.58	.49
Pork, hams and shoulders, canned	do.	1.02	1.45	.96	1.52
Pork, frozen	do.	.53	.64	.55	.64
Cheese, Cheddar	do.	1.03	1.39	1.20	1.39
Cheese, Emmenthaler	do.	.81	.97	.82	.98
Cheese, Edam and Gouda	do.	.87	1.16	.89	1.19
Milk, dry, not over 3% butterfat	do.	.47	.52	.53	.55
Casein, excluding mixtures	do.	.63	.61	.60	.60
Sheep and lamb skins	do.	1.50	1.38	1.44	1.43
Mink furskins	No.	16.40	14.06	17.04	13.45
Wool, apparel	Glb.	1.26	1.14	1.28	1.17
Cotton, raw	Rble	352.00	311.00	407.50	172.00
Apples, fresh	Lb.	.16	.15	.11	.13
Oranges, fresh	do.	.10	.27	.13	.31
Oranges, canned, mandarin	do.	.27	.27	.28	.26
Cantaloupes, fresh	do.	.07	.08	---	.05
Pineapples, canned	do.	.16	.19	.17	.20
Brazil nuts, shelled	do.	.80	.59	.84	.55
Pistachio nuts, unshelled	do.	1.07	1.22	1.09	1.25
Cashew nuts, shelled	do.	.99	.91	.98	.89
Barley, unmilled	Bu.	3.66	3.67	3.64	3.64
Biscuits, cakes, and wafers	Lb.	.57	.65	.57	.64
Castor oil	do.	.37	.25	.35	.25
Coconut oil	do.	.51	.20	.51	.19
Olive oil, edible	do.	.80	.85	.80	.82
Palm oil	do.	.22	.20	.23	.19
Palm kernel oil	do.	.46	.21	.48	.24
Sugar, cane or beet	Ston	414.80	408.86	441.37	376.86
Molasses, inedible	Gal.	.34	.26	.31	.28
Cucumbers, fresh	Lb.	.13	.05	.13	.17
Olives, in brine	Gal.	3.72	4.26	3.76	4.23
Onions, fresh or dry	Lb.	.16	.16	.16	.17
Peppers, fresh	do.	.16	.18	.17	.19
Squash, fresh	do.	.05	.12	---	.17
Tomatoes, fresh	do.	.14	.13	.20	.17
Tomatoes, canned	do.	.19	.17	.19	.16
Tomato paste and sauce	do.	.41	.32	.42	.29
Tobacco, leaf, oriental	do.	.63	.79	.64	.80
Beer and ale	Gal.	1.59	1.77	1.60	1.80
Wine, still grape, less than 14% alcohol	do.	4.53	5.33	4.54	5.36
Bananas, fresh	Lb.	.05	.06	.05	.06
Coffee, green	do.	.61	.56	.61	.57
Coffee, roasted or ground	do.	.79	.63	.93	.61
Coffee, soluble	do.	1.76	1.45	1.74	1.40
Cocoa beans	do.	.70	.53	.70	.54
Cocoa butter	do.	1.66	1.10	1.67	1.12
Lime oil	do.	7.33	8.16	7.51	8.58
Sisal and henequin	Lton	474.31	419.74	320.81	406.72
Rubber, natural, dry	Lb.	.34	.23	.33	.23
Rubber, natural, latex	do.	.40	.25	.42	.28
Pepper, unground, black	do.	.74	.72	.75	.72
Silk, raw	do.	10.79	8.61	10.61	8.64
Vanilla beans	do.	6.43	6.14	6.52	5.00
Tea, crude	do.	.44	.57	.45	.56
Wool, carpet	Glb.	.98	.78	.95	.80

Table 18.--U.S. sugar imports, July-August 1974 and 1975, and August 1974 and 1975

Country of origin	July-August				August			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975
	--	Short tons 1/ --	--	Dollars --	--	Short tons 1/ --	--	Dollars --
Canada	0	1,999	0	927,108	0	883	0	472,437
Mexico	134,609	0	70,017,755	0	62,381	0	35,898,073	0
Guatemala	50,914	30,873	21,228,677	10,955,271	23,312	20,310	11,093,604	6,615,849
Belize	7,479	7,619	3,764,031	2,454,910	4,696	2,931	2,499,583	1,280,076
El Salvador	6,128	18,747	2,128,166	8,247,600	1,544	5,347	700,279	1,794,032
Honduras	4,940	5,910	2,600,000	1,938,423	4,940	0	2,600,000	0
Nicaragua	3,538	11,288	1,033,657	5,112,837	0	3,207	0	1,517,413
Costa Rica	28,017	18,420	12,012,651	9,423,651	23,124	5,569	10,304,964	1,900,045
Panama	16,068	13,758	7,350,648	4,854,428	3,737	11,392	2,064,077	4,190,391
Jamaica	6,653	0	3,232,511	0	0	0	0	0
Haiti	5,175	2,922	1,117,296	751,623	0	2,922	0	751,623
Dominican Republic ..	234,891	246,009	89,915,154	108,753,282	72,304	79,850	31,840,594	29,686,457
Barbados	0	8,400	0	3,445,344	0	8,400	0	3,445,344
Trinidad-Tobago	20,042	11,765	10,600,438	4,714,195	15,862	11,765	8,927,732	4,714,195
Colombia	13,729	39,752	4,493,243	15,279,424	13,729	13,041	4,493,243	4,217,405
Guyana	12,416	6,688	4,845,090	2,140,104	1,419	0	461,134	0
Ecuador	0	3,845	0	1,142,114	0	3,845	0	1,142,114
Peru	64,287	51,835	22,925,524	29,889,682	40,336	35,407	15,028,180	20,944,533
Brazil	75,174	40,583	36,942,845	12,664,608	64,151	27,627	31,508,565	9,107,146
Sweden	2	0	1,084	0	2	0	1,084	0
United Kingdom	0	2/	0	541	0	0	0	0
India	34,126	3	13,506,646	1,771	16,204	3	6,340,324	1,771
Philippines	405,615	27,692	153,086,901	6,729,156	206,824	27,692	78,520,132	6,729,156
People's Republic of China	1	5	416	4,040	1	5	416	4,040
China, Republic of (Taiwan)	15,045	0	8,048,317	0	0	0	0	0
Australia	22,997	75,507	11,545,867	28,506,643	22,027	29,890	11,215,900	10,773,541
Mauritius and Dep. ..	0	23,027	0	8,980,536	0	0	0	0
Republic of South Africa	16,483	37,032	8,235,729	12,331,931	16,483	0	8,235,729	0
Swaziland	15,099	11,163	6,225,493	4,908,512	0	0	0	0
Total world	1,193,428	694,845	494,858,139	284,157,734	593,076	290,086	261,733,613	109,287,568

1/ Tel quel or actual weight.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census.

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Table 19.--U.S. sugar imports: Quantity and value by month
and average import unit values,
January 1973 through August 1975

Year and month	Quantity	Value	Unit Value	
	Short tons	\$1,000	c/Lb.	\$/S.ton
1973:				
January	435,660	71,879	8.3	164.99
February	292,445	48,942	8.4	167.35
March	444,869	72,055	8.1	161.97
April	477,367	80,313	8.4	168.24
May	506,816	85,549	8.4	168.80
June	418,522	69,615	8.3	166.34
July	452,574	75,545	8.4	166.92
August	570,622	100,451	8.8	176.04
September	394,320	80,077	10.2	203.07
October	219,588	39,244	8.9	178.72
November	566,891	109,798	9.7	193.68
December	487,280	91,663	9.4	188.11
	5,266,954	925,131	8.8	175.65
1974:				
January	243,573	45,892	9.4	188.41
February	499,749	105,040	10.5	210.18
March	553,657	124,681	11.3	225.20
April	509,261	134,319	13.2	263.75
May	512,145	154,826	15.1	302.31
June	491,677	155,559	15.8	316.39
July	600,353	233,125	19.4	388.31
August	593,076	261,734	22.1	441.32
September	437,217	213,226	24.4	487.69
October	360,186	201,223	27.9	558.66
November	479,056	288,745	30.1	602.74
December	494,416	337,168	34.1	681.95
	5,774,365	2,255,538	19.5	390.61
1975:				
January	149,616	124,027	41.4	828.97
February	203,049	133,851	33.0	659.21
March	226,301	154,771	34.2	683.92
April	303,315	200,381	33.0	660.64
May	225,825	145,600	32.2	644.75
June	452,625	260,353	28.8	575.21
July	404,760	174,870	21.6	432.03
August	290,086	109,288	18.8	376.74
September				
October				
November				
December				

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census.

Table 20.--U.S. imports of meat under Public Law 88-482 1/:
Quantity and value by country,
August 1974 and 1975 and January-August 1973/74 and 1974/75

Country	August		January-August	
	1974	1975	1973/74	1974/75
-- 1,000 pounds --				
Australia	44,938	75,996	328,969	488,777
New Zealand	39,850	23,764	175,719	211,947
Canada	3,099	215	24,767	3,499
CACM:				
Costa Rica	2,376	2,272	37,026	36,386
El Salvador	0	0	9,822	2,261
Guatemala	1,319	2,523	15,815	14,294
Honduras	845	1,935	19,837	16,468
Nicaragua	2,026	1,987	21,210	20,385
Dominican Republic	2,319	1,356	9,176	5,318
Haiti	115	164	1,355	737
Ireland	3,000	40	37,707	1,135
Mexico	1,018	2,508	31,652	15,972
Panama	308	0	1,655	959
Belize	0	0	79	20
United Kingdom-Ireland	158	72	1,819	752
Total	101,371	112,832	716,608	818,910
-- 1,000 dollars --				
Australia	25,397	36,622	251,537	218,060
New Zealand	22,980	11,350	128,667	92,781
Canada	2,072	144	19,654	2,083
CACM:				
Costa Rica	1,584	1,253	25,970	17,629
El Salvador	0	0	7,457	1,346
Guatemala	957	1,689	12,180	9,253
Honduras	534	1,057	14,438	8,688
Nicaragua	1,448	1,187	17,450	11,120
Dominican Republic	1,486	746	6,202	2,860
Haiti	62	127	820	518
Ireland	1,677	17	28,909	497
Mexico	734	1,670	26,765	9,538
Panama	235	0	1,241	471
Belize	0	0	58	11
United Kingdom-Ireland	86	32	1,336	321
Total	59,252	55,894	542,684	375,176

1/ P.L. 88-482 (1964) provides for import quotas on fresh, chilled, or frozen beef, veal, mutton, and goat meat. Fresh, chilled, or frozen boneless beef accounted for more than 90 percent of the import volume in 1969-74 (95.8% in 1974).

TABLE 21.--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		VALUE		QUANTITY		AUGUST		VALUE	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
ROMANO,REGGIANO,PARMESANO	LB	1,195	1,392	1,064	1,529	340	674	297	779		
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	LB	2,190	1,312	2,331	1,513	1,090	539	1,161	630		
OTHER	LB	12,057	9,475	8,814	8,274	4,751	4,689	3,691	3,965		
BUTTER	LB	115	82	77	49	56	3	46	3		
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	LB	20,035	11,038	12,808	6,995	11,164	6,375	6,998	4,039		
NONFAT DRY MILK	LB	1,475	697	699	372	157	307	84	167		
OTHER	---	---	---	813	743	---	---	510	492		
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	23,127	25,048	---	---	13,539	12,269		
CALF AND KIP SKINS	LB	516	1,004	438	541	320	553	258	292		
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	LB	3,446	10,328	861	2,472	2,162	5,475	537	1,349		
GOAT AND KID SKINS	LB	189	248	223	308	175	163	198	182		
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	LB	7,541	7,097	11,637	9,985	4,146	2,749	6,226	3,934		
FURSKINS	---	---	---	8,936	10,988	---	---	5,799	6,082		
OTHER	---	---	---	1,031	755	---	---	521	430		
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	LB	242,741	297,038	179,924	194,676	141,235	149,301	98,719	94,980		
MEATS-P.L.88-482	LB	160,748	217,157	97,355	105,149	101,372	112,831	59,253	55,895		
BEEF AND VEAL	LB	191,448	236,984	131,187	120,050	119,190	123,408	78,745	63,682		
CANNED	LB	22,699	9,535	24,461	6,677	11,709	5,898	12,386	4,062		
FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	161,289	216,956	98,131	105,014	101,723	112,671	59,728	55,791		
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	LB	7,460	10,494	8,596	8,359	5,758	4,839	6,631	3,829		
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	LB	2,381	6,984	1,727	4,342	844	4,018	657	2,603		
PORK	LB	44,704	48,178	41,983	66,384	19,251	19,692	16,907	21,007		
FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	6,819	3,126	3,656	2,141	3,564	3,058	1,967	2,074		
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	LB	34,702	42,936	35,529	61,941	14,264	15,892	13,793	25,062		
OTHER	LB	3,182	2,115	2,798	2,302	1,423	743	1,146	870		
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	4,208	4,892	5,027	3,900	1,949	2,183	2,410	1,688		
BABY CHICKS	NO	394	806	255	437	165	411	83	262		
EGGS, DRIED OR OTHERWISE PRESERVED	LB	12	7	13	7	6	4	6	4		
EGGS IN SHELL	DOZ	4,680	932	1,605	651	2,633	430	945	231		
FEATHERS AND DOWN, CRUDE, SORTED	LB	1,567	1,581	2,950	2,959	883	1,060	1,500	1,579		
POULTRY MEAT	LB	145	89	332	202	54	37	124	59		
OTHER	---	---	---	302	292	---	---	180	69		
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	37,483	24,995	---	---	18,605	11,843		
BEEWAX	LB	944	384	1,375	383	292	259	420	250		
BONES, HOOFS, AND HORNS	---	---	---	1,066	1,070	---	---	673	372		
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	LB	533	213	2,537	1,070	259	123	1,060	611		
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	LB	5,230	3,943	1,733	1,440	2,602	1,554	943	534		
GELATIN	---	---	---	8,653	5,064	---	---	4,473	2,033		
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	686	141	1,196	619	459	86	549	269		
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	6,910	6,309	---	---	3,684	3,015		
OSSEIN	LB	3,406	2,315	2,172	1,726	1,315	1,096	888	975		
RENNET	LB	426	308	716	630	191	183	361	385		
WOOL,UNMANUFACTURED,EX FREE	GLB	3,092	3,766	3,901	4,289	1,426	2,251	1,821	2,639		
OTHER	---	---	---	7,224	2,394	---	---	3,733	760		
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	925,486	673,897	---	---	461,276	293,694		
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	13	6	4,123	768	8	3	2,654	402		
COTTON	RBA	11	1	3,872	311	6	1	2,445	172		
LINTERS	RBA	2	5	251	457	2	3	208	230		

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TABLE 21.—U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST			AUGUST		
		QUANTITY	1974	VALUE	QUANTITY	1974	VALUE
		1974	1975 1/	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1975 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS							
APPLES, FRESH	LB	3,712	8,126	36,997	---	---	15,798
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	LB	2,807	523	594	179	1,713	19
APRICOTS	LB	830	84	557	1,819	264	308
BERRIES:					345	45	234
BLUEBERRIES, FROZEN	LB	1,420	779	643	925	629	419
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	LB	391	473	141	9	212	5
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	LB	14,705	16,929	3,388	6,396	5,334	1,479
OTHER	LB	6,752	7,424	2,322	2,780	5,623	749
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUIT	LB	2,946	1,988	1,411	1,362	694	645
CHERRIES	LB	89	230	46	82	85	41
CITRUS:					79		28
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	LB	1,176	1,116	197	774	237	122
ORANGES, CANNED	LB	19,078	11,447	5,185	9,047	5,881	2,512
ORANGES, FRESH	LB	1,981	557	204	437	36	57
OTHER	LB	1,371	2,244	124	490	795	11
DATES	LB	346	115	74	11	96	99
FIGS	LB	34	0	9	31	0	38
FRUIT JUICES:							
APPLE AND PEAR	GAL	2,552	2,777	893	1,368	1,663	591
GRAPE	GAL	1,368	63	1,009	438	24	32
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	GAL	2,427	3,759	909	1,289	1,017	377
PINEAPPLE	GAL	2,010	2,726	516	791	1,673	210
OTHER	GAL	515	415	865	161	276	277
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	LB	4,664	4,848	983	1,855	1,939	448
GRAPES, FRESH	LB	829	3,643	94	70	1,872	13
JAMS AND JELLIES	LB	1,764	1,077	808	973	557	475
PEARS, FRESH	LB	2,485	551	407	1,299	0	200
MELONS, FRESH	LB	10,248	20,503	268	1,555	4,233	27
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	LB	9,614	48,019	218	5,993	8,335	116
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	LB	63,885	56,084	10,378	29,078	27,706	125
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	LB	6,915	1,296	1,186	6,062	4,922	5,562
OTHER	---	---	---	3,005	---	750	161
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS							
BRAZIL	---	---	---	38,342	---	---	1,647
CASHEWS	LB	7,532	19,058	2,886	4,511	9,396	21,337
CHESTNUTS	LB	16,288	15,808	16,093	8,200	7,480	18,016
COCONUT MEATS	LB	43	39	35	18	28	24
FILBERTS	LB	17,747	14,769	8,324	9,169	8,825	16
PISTACHE	LB	1,217	907	786	559	318	4,269
OTHER	LB	9,156	8,987	9,803	5,956	4,971	361
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS							
BARLEY	BU	4,944	---	414	---	---	6,236
CORN, EXC SEED	BU	322	3,257	38,300	---	---	295
GRAIN SORGHUMS	BU	0	95	18,095	1,946	2,359	17,183
OATS	BU	46	152	77	298	17	8,586
RICE	BU	535	137	143	0	1,035	63
RYE	BU	0	4	0	0	0	0
WHEAT, EXC, SEEDS	BU	441	20	0	39	65	118
WHEAT FLOUR	CWT	30	6	38	288	62	28
WHEAT GLUTEN	LB	22	2,139	40	0	20	38
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	LB	5,632	448	334	20	11	40
BREAD CRUMBS	LB	13,985	2,213	2,149	4,379	3,171	352
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	LB	4,260	11,507	7,527	6,669	4,973	1,038
	LB	705	4,825	1,071	2,253	2,338	3,174
	LB		715	270	344	121	609
						323	116

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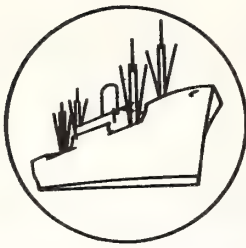
COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST		VALUE		QUANTITY		AUGUST		VALUE	
		1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/	1974	1975 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	LB	6,422	8,068	2,261	2,748	2,875	3,476	1,052	3,476	1,052	1,188
OTHER	---	---	---	2,465	4,023	---	---	1,316	---	1,316	2,030
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	119,160	83,568	---	---	47,244	---	47,244	35,760
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	2	0	179	20	0	0	38	0	38	20
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	---	---	---	7,087	8,289	---	---	3,188	---	3,188	3,760
COPRA	LB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MUSTARD SEED	LB	13,081	13,343	1,991	2,631	6,028	7,261	1,003	7,261	1,003	1,425
SESAME SEED	LB	6,512	6,901	2,205	2,380	2,012	2,827	808	2,827	808	966
POPPY SEED	CWT	6	100	221	284	3	86	102	86	102	133
SUNFLOWER SEED	LB	791	137	131	48	203	72	33	72	33	23
OTHER	---	---	---	2,539	2,946	---	---	1,243	---	1,243	1,213
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	LB	260,038	343,844	111,894	75,260	112,906	145,733	44,017	145,733	44,017	31,981
BABASSU OIL	LB	6,880	12	3,264	7	4,238	0	2,013	0	2,013	0
CARNAUBA WAX	LB	1,120	1,023	1,982	946	538	377	986	377	986	366
CASTOR OIL	LB	17,356	11,115	6,353	2,813	11,588	5,926	4,078	5,926	4,078	1,491
COCONUT OIL	LB	117,830	102,847	59,907	20,095	24,676	64,611	12,565	64,611	12,565	12,183
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	LB	9,409	6,737	7,492	5,701	4,312	4,477	3,441	4,477	3,441	3,679
PALM OIL	LB	72,074	187,848	16,093	37,769	46,777	56,718	10,690	56,718	10,690	10,810
PALM KERNEL OIL	LB	21,899	25,051	10,182	5,212	13,672	7,340	6,520	7,340	6,520	1,783
RAPESEED OIL	LB	2,322	636	838	188	1,227	150	469	150	469	41
SESAME OIL	LB	467	297	406	270	275	122	231	122	231	108
TUNG OIL	LB	2,403	5,836	660	1,409	1,743	4,513	471	4,513	471	1,028
OTHER	LB	8,276	2,443	4,717	849	3,859	1,499	2,552	1,499	2,552	491
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---	522,770	316,002	---	---	273,119	---	273,119	124,202
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	STN	1,193	695	494,858	284,158	593	290	261,734	290	261,734	109,288
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	GAL	46,230	49,791	15,846	13,070	18,724	22,967	5,790	22,967	5,790	6,451
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIRUP	LB	1,096	1,089	761	682	448	690	306	690	306	427
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	LB	17,804	18,630	8,994	12,977	8,637	7,562	4,404	7,562	4,404	5,336
HONEY	LB	4,829	6,536	1,967	2,286	1,862	2,977	678	2,977	678	1,013
OTHER	---	---	---	344	2,830	---	---	208	---	208	1,688
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	47,320	46,160	---	---	22,667	---	22,667	21,039
FRESH OR FROZEN:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ASPARAGUS	LB	287	0	54	0	287	0	54	0	54	0
BEANS	LB	218	222	46	26	163	15	38	15	38	6
CARROTS	LB	199	751	9	40	132	232	5	232	5	12
CUCUMBERS	LB	774	1,256	100	64	713	12	93	12	93	2
DASHEENS	LB	4,897	4,186	592	621	2,854	2,131	333	2,131	333	292
EGGPLANT	LB	53	324	12	19	18	10	1	10	1	1
GARLIC	LB	5,486	3,806	1,052	736	1,495	1,242	364	1,242	364	278
LETTUCE	LB	1,851	1,340	180	148	1,411	910	131	910	131	106
ONIONS	LB	3,797	3,307	613	515	1,333	1,470	219	1,470	219	250
PEAS	LB	667	291	270	118	353	142	129	353	142	54
PEPPERS	LB	2,020	3,175	315	585	719	1,246	119	1,246	119	232
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	CWT	9	39	56	157	3	9	11	9	11	31
SQUASH	LB	19	170	1	21	0	58	0	0	0	10
TOMATOES	LB	9,846	27,921	1,384	3,565	2,708	3,828	529	3,828	529	660
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	CWT	28	42	226	413	26	39	212	39	212	376
OTHER	---	---	---	1,911	1,468	---	---	783	---	783	776

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TABLE 21--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	JULY-AUGUST				AUGUST			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1974 THOU.	1975 1/ THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1974 THOU.	1975 1/ THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
DRIED:									
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	LB	10,937	7,443	4,025	1,517	4,871	4,911	1,789	873
CHICKPEAS	LB	310	1,056	64	209	93	524	19	97
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	LB	1,214	1,087	263	302	818	734	158	202
OTHER	---	---	---	2,345	1,723	---	---	1,231	905
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:									
ARTICHOKES	LB	3,003	2,031	1,142	710	2,011	787	720	251
ASPARAGUS	LB	856	1,065	456	650	664	407	344	233
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	LB	27,076	12,964	1,864	1,070	13,669	2,344	920	212
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	LB	229	442	408	659	69	282	228	427
MUSHROOMS	LB	5,759	11,060	4,461	8,703	2,815	5,035	2,240	4,044
OLIVES, IN BRINE	GAL	2,447	2,337	9,098	9,962	1,168	1,235	4,392	5,217
ONIONS	LB	1,376	987	551	510	481	333	193	182
PEAS, INCLUDING COMPEAS	LB	849	1,004	242	280	287	379	76	104
PIMIENTOS	LB	1,048	646	534	361	521	338	270	198
TOMATOES	LB	13,208	9,563	3,849	2,099	6,420	4,694	1,990	1,031
WATERCHESTNUTS	LB	3,604	1,194	887	485	1,342	152	328	72
OTHER	---	---	---	10,310	8,423	---	---	4,748	3,906
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS				118,474	126,584	---	---	60,063	61,293
BROOMCORN	STN	2	3	1,663	2,837	1	2	917	1,657
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	2,891	2,864	---	---	1,493	1,316
ESSENTIAL OILS	LB	423	137	1,792	472	248	71	892	225
FEEDS & FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	9,530	7,784	---	---	5,335	3,221
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---	2,237	1,372	---	---	1,264	460
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	LTN	5	2	478	261	2	1	224	130
MALT LIQUORS	GAL	9,031	10,074	14,402	17,854	4,786	4,758	7,656	8,540
NURSERY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---	2,994	3,232	---	---	2,351	2,252
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	LB	7,759	7,486	4,073	3,905	3,569	5,192	2,220	1,807
SPICES	LB	4,526	2,922	2,250	1,677	2,075	1,182	940	655
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	44,948	52,519	28,161	40,186	20,124	25,386	12,618	19,033
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	LB	26,095	27,776	16,543	21,983	11,088	15,115	7,682	12,062
WINES	GAL	10,276	7,928	46,677	43,184	4,797	3,932	23,674	21,554
OTHER	---	---	---	1,327	957	---	---	480	442

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U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO THE ARABIAN PENINSULA SOAR

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Petroleum exports of the Arabian Peninsula countries zoomed from about \$11 billion in 1972 to \$56 billion in 1974, and they will remain near that level in 1975. 2/ As the Arab diet has changed in response to new wealth, imports of food and other farm products have skyrocketed. Agricultural imports in 1975 will be double the 1972 value and one-third above 1974. Still, the 1975 food imports, estimated to cost about \$2 billion, will represent only 4 percent of the income from exports.

U.S. agricultural exports to the Arabian Peninsula have tripled since fiscal 1973, reaching \$168.7 million in fiscal 1975. Strong gains in exports of wheat flour, meat, and processed foods could cause the value to climb markedly in the coming year.

Saudi Arabia is the major agricultural importer in the area, but some other markets are increasing their imports at a much faster pace. Those of the United Arab Emirates (UAE) are expected to reach \$330 million this year--five times the 1972 value, making it the fastest growing market in the area. Agricultural imports by Bahrain, Qatar, Oman, and the Yemen Arab Republic will be about four times the 1972 value.

Imports provide over 90 percent of the food supply for Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, and the UAE, and about two-thirds of the supply for Saudi Arabia. Until recently, the Yemen Arab Republic imported less than 10 percent of its food supply.

Although there are great contrasts in wealth among the Arabian Peninsula countries, marked changes are underway in food marketing in most urban areas. Per capita food imports range from over \$7,000 for Abu Dhabi and Dubai (major petroleum producers of the United Arab Emirates) to about \$20 for the Yemen Arab Republic. In Kuwait and the Gulf Sheikdoms (Qatar, Bahrain, and the UAE), a large influx of immigrants and limited farming activities have caused a striking increase in food imports. Yemen's 6 million

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2/ The Arabian Peninsula countries are Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman, Kuwait, the Yemen Arab Republic, and the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen.

people have benefited from neighboring prosperity because 1 million of its men now work in oil-rich countries, particularly Saudi Arabia. Strong gains in foreign exchange earnings from these laborers have bolstered Yemen's ability to finance food imports.

Consumers in Kuwait and some Saudi cities already enjoyed excellent diets before the petroleum price hike in late 1973. The average Kuwaiti diet now contains almost 3,000 calories daily--50 percent above the average in the Yemen Arab Republic and Oman. Marked changes are occurring in diets in Saudi Arabia, where the average daily calorie intake increased from about 2,200 calories in 1972 to about 2,500 calories in 1974. New supermarkets, cold storage warehouses, and transportation facilities have facilitated the trend toward better diets, and for many consumers a completely different diet. The impact of these changes are described in the following analysis of agricultural trade in each country.

Saudi Arabia

In addition to booming demand, improved marketing facilities are resulting in larger U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia, which accounts for three-fourths of our farm exports to the Arabian Peninsula. Refrigerated ships can now carry a wide range of products to Jidda and Dammam. Regular shipping schedules and quicker delivery through the Suez Canal are also giving U.S. firms more opportunities to supply the growing demand for processed foods.

Saudi Arabia's total agricultural imports are likely to reach \$750 million this year--up from \$475 million in 1974 and about \$133 million annually during 1965-69. U.S. agricultural exports to the market in 1975 may be almost three times the 1973 level, reaching \$180 million. Our share will increase to about 24 percent, even though exports from Australia, Thailand, India, and Pakistan are increasing at a faster pace than are U.S. exports. Imports from Ethiopia and Somalia have declined.

One of the most obvious results of higher incomes and wider distribution of petroleum wealth has been the increased consumption of American and European types of bread and bakery products, which are made from imported wheat flour. In fiscal 1975, our wheat flour exports to Saudi Arabia totaled 292,000 tons for \$54.6 million, up from 157,000 tons for \$12.4 million in fiscal 1974. The country's total imports of wheat flour are expected to reach 440,000 tons in calendar 1975--double the 1973 level. U.S. supplies will account for about 75 percent, and nearly one-fifth will come from the European Community (EC).

No U.S. wheat was purchased by Saudi Arabia in fiscal 1975, but 9,300 tons have been purchased since July, and further sales are expected. Australia supplied 111,000 tons in fiscal 1975. For calendar 1975, the country's imports will remain near previous levels of about 100,000 tons.

Saudi Arabia's rice imports are likely to reach a record 250,000 tons in 1975--about two-thirds above the low 1973 level. Saudi consumers prefer long-grain, parboiled rice from the United States, basmati from Pakistan and India, and top grades of polished rice from Thailand. Although the United States will probably supply about 38 percent of the 1975 rice imports, gains in sales of this commodity have been limited by increased competition from Thailand and Pakistan.

U.S. exports of vegetable oils to Saudi Arabia reached \$8 million in fiscal 1975, up from \$1.3 million a year earlier. Corn and soybean oil have been rapid growth items.

U.S. exports of processed foods to Saudi Arabia are expected to increase rapidly in the coming year. Items enjoying a booming demand include bakery products, tomato juice, fruit juices, soft drinks, canned peaches, honey, almonds, and frozen vegetables. Peanut butter and popcorn exports are expected to increase markedly as regular deliveries are made and distribution spreads to smaller cities and rural areas. Our frozen poultry exports to Saudi Arabia in July 1975 alone reached \$335,000--more than shipments during all of fiscal 1973.

U.S. vegetable seed exports to Saudi Arabia doubled in fiscal 1975, reaching \$712,000. Animal feed exports also rose.

Since two-thirds of Saudi Arabia's food supply is imported, gains in petroleum wealth should continue to generate increased food imports through the late 1970's. Although large investments in agriculture are likely to bring gains in output of horticultural crops and livestock, U.S. sales of farm products to Saudi Arabia should still rise.

Saudi Arabia's GDP increased from \$12.6 billion in 1973 to \$39.5 billion in 1974, and further gains are underway in 1975. Several new government programs, including generous payments for each baby born, have bolstered demand for imported food in rural areas. Per capita income now exceeds \$6,000 annually, and all citizens are now sharing in the new wealth.

Kuwait

Kuwait's total agricultural imports might reach \$360 million in 1975--nearly double the 1973 level, making it the Arabian Peninsula's second major food importer. Imports of rice, meat, dairy products, and processed foods are booming.

Strong gains in U.S. sales of meat, fruit preparations, and vegetable oils to Kuwait in 1975 are expected to offset some reduction in the value of rice deliveries. Kuwait's rising food imports did not reflect any dramatic gains for U.S. products until 1974, when exports rose to \$21.3 million from \$8.7 million in 1973. Rice exports, accounting for most of the gain, increased from 4,000 tons in 1973 to 28,000 tons worth \$13.6 million in 1974. Australia has investment ties with the only major flour mill in Kuwait, so no U.S. wheat is exported there.

American snack foods--popcorn, almonds, potato chips, and bakery products--have scored dramatic sales gains in Kuwait in the last 2 years. Establishment of American-operated fast food shops specializing in fried chicken has resulted in a strong rise in our exports of frozen poultry to Kuwait. A new juice-blending plant contributed to a marked rise in U.S. sales of concentrated orange juice in fiscal 1975.

Kuwait has been a leader in economic policies designed to maximize the dispersion of petroleum wealth among all citizens. Sales of a wide range of U.S. processed foods to Kuwait are increasing, but Denmark, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom remain more important as suppliers of packaged foods to Kuwait's supermarkets.

United Arab Emirates

Agricultural imports by the United Arab Emirates skyrocketed from \$49 million in 1971 to \$240 million in 1974. Striking gains in deliveries of long-grain rice by Pakistan, India, and Thailand accounted for about one-fifth of the increase. Australian exports of wheat, live cattle and sheep, meat, and dairy products to Abu Dhabi and Dubai (the wealthiest and most populous emirates) have increased dramatically in the last 3 years. European sales of wheat flour, frozen poultry, dry milk, and canned vegetables to these markets are rising rapidly.

New port facilities at Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Ras el Khaimah, and Sharjah have facilitated the rapid growth in food imports. Dubai has excellent storage facilities and no serious port congestion. Transshipments of rice and processed foods from Dubai to other ports along the Persian Gulf and Oman are becoming more important.

U.S. agricultural exports to the UAE increased from only \$1.5 million in fiscal 1973 to \$8.2 million in fiscal 1975. Sales of many processed foods--including canned peaches, pears, apricots, fruit cocktail, chicken parts, whole dry milk, almonds, and cake mixes--more than quadrupled in fiscal 1975. Further gains in processed food exports could occur.

Food processing facilities in Dubai import vegetable preparations from the United States and local bakeries use imported U.S. and Australian flour. Sales of U.S. vegetable oils to the UAE zoomed from \$159,000 in fiscal 1974 to \$591,000 in fiscal 1975. Notable gains in fiscal 1975 also occurred in shipments of corn starch, fruit and vegetable juices, canned fruit, nuts, bakery products, and canned meat.

Vegetable production in the UAE is expanding, partly because of the elaborate facilities developed on Sadiqua Island by U.S. technicians. U.S. exports of vegetable seeds to the UAE increased from \$35,000 in fiscal 1974 to \$64,000 in fiscal 1975. Some trading firms in Dubai are importing more processed foods, seeds, and animal feed for distribution to customers in Saudi Arabia, Oman, and Qatar.

Qatar

Total agricultural imports by Qatar are likely to reach \$130 million in 1975--triple the 1973 value--but only about 1 percent of the arrivals will come from the United States. Pakistan, India, and Thailand supply most of Qatar's rice imports--estimated to reach 15,000 tons in 1975. Packaged rice from the United States is sold in several supermarkets. U.S. rice sales to Qatar plummeted from 1,705 tons (\$1 million) in fiscal 1974 to 48 tons (\$33,000) in fiscal 1975.

Gains occurred in U.S. exports of some items, including corn oil, bakery products, canned meat, and fruit cocktail. Shipments of frozen vegetables and soft drinks were significant for the first time. Also, soft drink bottlers in Qatar purchased ingredients worth \$192,000 from U.S. firms.

Bahrain

Output of wheat flour by a modern mill in Bahrain is expanding rapidly. Most of the imported wheat comes from Australia, but the United States sent 2,722 tons of wheat to Manama in fiscal 1975 for \$466,000. Despite the new sales of wheat, U.S. agricultural exports to Bahrain declined 8 percent in fiscal 1975 to \$2.94 million. A sharp decline occurred in exports of processed foods because of intense competition from European suppliers and Australia. However, sales of U.S. frozen poultry increased from \$103,000 in fiscal 1974 to \$175,000 in fiscal 1975, and sales of rice remained strong at \$396,000.

Oman

As a residual supplier, the United States sent 3,088 tons of rice to Oman in fiscal 1974 for \$1.3 million. But in fiscal 1975, our rice exports to Oman fell to \$80,000 worth of packaged rice, largely because Oman was importing from Asian countries, where export supplies had been rebuilt. Oman's total rice imports increased in 1974/75 to about 27,000 tons because of larger arrivals from Pakistan, India, and the People's Republic of China.

Still, U.S. agricultural exports to Oman totaled \$715,000 in fiscal 1975--up from \$44,000 only 2 years earlier--with strong gains in sales of vegetable oils, dairy products, and canned fruits and vegetables offsetting part of the decline in rice exports.

Imports of frozen poultry and processed foods by Oman are rising rapidly to satisfy the flourishing demand at new grocery stores and international hotels. Imports of sorghum and vegetable seeds are also increasing.

People's Democratic Republic of Yemen (Aden)

Reopening of the Suez Canal has caused a rebound in economic activity for the port of Aden, capital of the People's Democratic Republic of Yemen, and an important distribution center for imports into the Yemen Arab Republic and Somalia.

U.S. agricultural exports to PDR Yemen in 1975 are likely to be about 15 percent above the \$8.6 million recorded in 1974 because of larger sales of wheat and snackfoods.

Yemen Arab Republic

Yemen's agricultural imports doubled in value in 1974, almost reaching \$90 million. In 1975, value could reach \$130 million because of larger imports of wheat, rice, sugar, and dairy products. European exporters of wheat flour and dry milk have found a thriving market in Yemen. Yemen's annual wheat imports now exceed 100,000 tons, and wheat flour imports approximate 50,000 tons.

U.S. wheat exports to Yemen fell from 40,000 tons (\$4.6 million) in 1973 to 16,000 tons (\$3 million) in 1974. This decline was offset by larger arrivals from Europe and Australia. Australia and the United States increased wheat sales to Yemen in 1975.

U.S. rice exports to Yemen increased from 300 tons in 1973 to 4,240 tons in 1974 for \$2.3 million. Total rice imports approximated 40,000 tons in 1974, including supplies from the People's Republic of China, Thailand, Pakistan, and some transit shipments through Aden. Further gains are underway for 1975.

Cottonseed oil imports, including 660 tons (\$502,000) from the United States, increased in 1974. Imports of coarse grains and live animals from Sudan and Somalia continued in 1974, but at lower levels than in some earlier years.

Strong Competition From Other Exporters Encountered in Major Commodities

Grain

Our wheat flour exports to Arabian Peninsula markets doubled in fiscal 1975, reaching a record 297,000 tons wheat equivalent. Competition from the EC was strong in early 1975, particularly in the Yemen Arab Republic and the Gulf Sheikdoms.

U.S. wheat exports to the Arabian Peninsula declined from 87,000 to 48,000 tons between fiscal 1974 and 1975 because of a pause in deliveries to Saudi Arabia and smaller shipments to the Yemen Arab Republic. Australia increased its wheat exports to Saudi Arabia in 1974, and the USSR sent 36,000 tons of wheat to the Yemen Arab Republic. Australia dominates wheat exports to Kuwait, Qatar, and the UAE. Thailand and Sudan provide most of the coarse grains sent to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, and the Gulf Sheikdoms. Thailand's exports of corn and sorghum to the Arabian Peninsula exceeded 100,000 tons in 1974--more than double the 1972 level. Poultry operations use most of the imported corn. Reopening of the Suez Canal could cause a revival in sales of U.S. corn to the area.

U.S. rice exports to the Arabian Peninsula almost doubled in fiscal 1974, when supplies of top grades of long-grain rice from Thailand and South Asia were expensive and scarce. Since then, Thailand, India, and Pakistan have made dramatic gains in sales of rice to the Arabian Peninsula markets. Larger U.S. exports of rice to Kuwait and Aden in fiscal 1975 more than offset smaller exports to Saudi Arabia and the Gulf Sheikdoms, pushing the total to a record 112,343 tons.

Horticultural Products

Lebanon's exports of fruits, vegetables, and preparations to Arabian Peninsula markets increased markedly between 1971 and 1974. Imports of apples into the area increased from 37,600 tons in 1971 to about 67,000 tons in 1974, making the Arabian Peninsula the world's largest apple importer outside Europe. Problems in obtaining deliveries of apples, oranges, lemons, and canned fruit from Lebanon in late 1975 should open up some new sales opportunities for fruit exporters in the United States, Europe, and Australia.

In recent years, Lebanon has sent about half its total apple exports, roughly 50,000 tons annually, to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, and the Gulf Sheikdoms, and has accounted for over 75 percent of the Arabian Peninsula's total apple imports. Lebanon's exports of oranges to Saudi Arabia averaged about 25,000 tons annually during 1970-74. U.S. orange exports, totaling 4,100 tons, were made to Saudi Arabia for the first time in fiscal 1975. Lebanon's exports of grapes to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, and the Gulf Sheikdoms exceed 4,000 tons annually.

Lebanon's exports of canned fruits and juices to the Arabian Peninsula in 1973 were valued at \$2 million--about the same as those from the United States. In 1974, the United States moved ahead of Lebanon to become the leading supplier of canned fruit and fruit juices. Egypt, Greece, and Australia are also sending more fruit juice to these markets. Exports of potatoes and onions by Egypt are increasing to Saudi Arabia and the UAE. Dutch and Italian exports of canned vegetables to Jidda and Persian Gulf ports are rising rapidly.

Vegetable Oils

U.S. exports of corn oil to Saudi Arabia, the UAE, and Kuwait are rising rapidly. New fast food restaurants are using more U.S. vegetable oils to cook fried chicken and potatoes. Soviet deliveries of sunflower oil to the two Yemen markets totaled 8,000 tons in 1974.

Meat

Dutch, Danish, and French exports of frozen poultry to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, and the UAE have increased dramatically in the last 2 years. Total imports of frozen poultry by Arabian Peninsula markets reached a record 42,000 tons in 1974, but less than 4 percent of the supply came from the United States. Denmark and the Netherlands each supplied over 30 percent of the market. Fluctuations in prices for frozen poultry in Europe and the United States occasionally give American exporters new opportunities. Improvements in shipping and port storage facilities should improve prospects for U.S. meat exports to the Arabian Peninsula markets.

Exports of mutton and beef by Australia and New Zealand to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the UAE, and Qatar increased in 1974. Sales of U.S. beef and canned meat to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the UAE, and Oman are rising, partly because of the large expansion in hotels catering to immigrants and technicians.

Outlook

Food imports by the Arabian Peninsula markets should rise about 10 percent annually through 1980. Immigrants continue to arrive in large numbers from Arab countries outside the area, particularly Lebanon, Jordan, Syria, and Egypt. Natural population growth is almost 3 percent annually.

As diets improve, food imports will consist increasingly of high quality products. This might cause the value of food imports to rise faster than quantity, even if world prices remained relatively stable. Since very few food processing facilities exist in this area, most of the shelves of new supermarkets will be filled with imported products.

U.S. agricultural exports to the Arabian Peninsula in fiscal 1976 are likely to range between \$230 million and \$280 million. Total agricultural imports by these markets in fiscal 1976 are likely to range between \$2.3 billion and \$2.5 billion.

Table 22.--United States: Agricultural exports to the Arabian Peninsula, total, fiscal 1972-75, and for selected products, fiscal 1973-75

Country	Total agricultural				Grains and preparations		
	1972	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
	-- 1,000 dollars --				-- 1,000 dollars --		
Saudi Arabia	30,510	35,799	91,671	123,562	26,498	74,767	97,779
Kuwait	5,009	6,225	9,012	22,058	1,350	2,262	13,715
United Arab Emirates	457	1,496	5,407	8,163	261	2,362	2,299
Bahrain	995	1,254	1,187	2,941	92	472	1,027
Qatar	192	250	1,562	878	24	1,077	76
Oman	19	44	1,485	715	10	1,323	80
Yemen Arab Republic	417	1,789	7,637	4,575	773	7,167	4,162
PDR Yemen (Aden)	184	435	4,584	5,856	301	4,466	5,735
Total	37,783	47,292	124,545	168,748	29,309	93,896	124,873
	Wheat flour				Wheat		
	1973	1974	1975		1973	1974	1975
	-- 1,000 dollars --				-- 1,000 dollars --		
Saudi Arabia	9,005	18,965	54,529		1,655	2,262	---
Kuwait	1	---	---		---	---	---
United Arab Emirates	104	939	992		---	---	---
Bahrain	---	---	---		---	---	466
Qatar	2	13	7		---	---	---
Oman	---	8	2		---	---	---
Yemen Arab Republic	7	30	29		344	6,658	1,677
PDR Yemen (Aden)	10	---	---		248	4,465	5,735
Total	9,129	19,955	55,560		2,247	13,385	7,878
	Rice				Fruits, vegetables, and preparations		
	1973	1974	1975		1973	1974	1975
	-- 1,000 dollars --				-- 1,000 dollars --		
Saudi Arabia	14,825	52,403	42,195		1,679	2,663	4,688
Kuwait	611	1,963	13,567		845	1,856	2,190
United Arab Emirates	49	1,178	710		262	727	1,684
Bahrain	2	20	338		---	592	590
Qatar	10	1,045	33		20	33	154
Oman	4	1,308	60		---	42	145
Yemen Arab Republic	162	485	2,215		---	48	2
PDR Yemen (Aden)	43	---	---		5	35	---
Total	15,724	58,720	59,176		2,789	5,996	9,453
	Vegetable oils				Meat		
	1973	1974	1975		1973	1974	1975
	-- 1,000 dollars --				-- 1,000 dollars --		
Saudi Arabia	1,087	1,648	8,256		739	1,320	1,257
Kuwait	833	365	1,762		180	418	1,008
United Arab Emirates	78	117	783		130	206	538
Bahrain	---	77	239		---	243	330
Qatar	8	26	127		12	41	91
Oman	---	7	80		---	12	8
Yemen Arab Republic	217	356	202		---	---	---
PDR Yemen (Aden)	3	---	22		---	---	---
Total	2,196	2,830	11,471		1,061	2,240	3,224

Source: Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 23.--United States: Exports of specified commodities to the Arabian Peninsula, by quantity, fiscal 1973-75

Country	Wheat			Wheat flour			Corn		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
-- Metric tons --									
Saudi Arabia	18,307	16,612	---	131,757	140,351	291,687	7,031	18	---
Kuwait	---	---	---	10	---	---	7,164	109	---
United Arab Emirates ..	---	---	---	1,270	7,232	5,460	429	9	---
Qatar	---	---	---	21	134	---	5	---	---
Oman	---	---	---	---	73	---	---	---	---
Yemen Arab Republic	2,999	47,921	9,231	---	---	---	9	23	---
PDR Yemen	2,444	22,553	36,450	143	---	---	---	9	---
Bahrain	---	---	2,722	99	309	---	37	---	---
Arabian Peninsula ..	13,750	87,086	48,403	133,300	148,099	297,147	14,675	168	---
Rice									
Vegetable oils									
1973		1974	1975	1973	1974	1975			
-- Metric tons --									
Saudi Arabia	56,729	90,857	78,607	17			389	1,404	
Kuwait	2,154	4,531	27,707	4			20	234	
United Arab Emirates ..	130	2,786	1,117	4			16	102	
Qatar	39	1,771	49	---			---	---	
Oman	9	3,088	92	---			---	12	
Yemen Arab Republic	562	997	4,124	513			538	198	
PDR Yemen	200	---	---	---			---	5	
Bahrain	59	929	647	1			2	56	
Arabian Peninsula ..	59,882	104,959	112,343	539			965	2,011	

Table 24.--Total agricultural imports by Arabian Peninsula countries and estimated U.S. share, annual 1969-75

Country	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974*	1975 Estimate
-- Million dollars --							
Agricultural imports:							
Saudi Arabia	184.4	186.2	225.0	254.8	379.4	475.0	750.0
Kuwait	99.2	109.7	120.1	147.3	188.4	305.0	360.0
United Arab Emirates	38.7	42.3	49.2	66.0	92.5	244.0	330.0
Bahrain	27.0	28.4	30.5	31.3	50.3	106.0	126.0
Qatar	17.0	19.7	24.3	31.0	45.9	87.0	125.0
Oman	6.3	7.7	10.6	15.1	31.4	48.0	62.0
Yemen Arab Republic	25.0	26.7	21.0	43.6	66.0	90.0	120.0
PDR Yemen (Aden)	127.0	134.4	86.6	101.6	127.1	144.0	156.0
Total	524.6	555.1	567.3	690.7	981.0	1,499.0	2,029.0
U.S. agricultural exports to:							
Saudi Arabia	26.4	27.6	23.7	32.8	65.5	110.0	180.0
Kuwait	3.6	4.0	4.9	4.6	8.7	21.3	24.6
United Arab Emirates	1/0.1	1/0.2	1/0.3	0.9	3.6	6.1	13.2
Bahrain	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.1	1.9	3.7	4.4
Qatar	1/0.1	1/0.1	1/0.2	0.2	0.4	1.6	1.7
Oman	---	---	---	0.1	1.4	0.3	1.4
Yemen Arab Republic	1/1.1	1/2.9	1/0.9	1.3	5.6	6.2	15.0
PDR Yemen (Aden)	1.9	1.9	0.2	0.3	2.1	8.6	9.8
Total	34.5	38.0	31.5	41.3	89.2	157.8	240.1
Estimated U.S. share:							
Saudi Arabia	14.3	14.8	10.5	12.9	17.3	23.2	24.0
Kuwait	3.6	3.6	4.1	3.1	4.6	7.0	6.8
United Arab Emirates	0.3	0.5	0.6	1.4	3.9	2.5	4.0
Bahrain	4.8	4.6	3.3	3.5	3.8	3.5	3.5
Qatar	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.9	1.8	1.4
Oman	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	0.7	4.5	0.6	2.3
Yemen Arab Republic	4.4	10.9	4.2	3.0	8.5	6.9	12.5
PDR Yemen (Aden)	1.5	1.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	6.0	6.3
Total	6.6	6.8	5.6	6.0	9.1	10.5	11.8

*Preliminary.

1/ Reported as exports to Arabian States prior to 1972.

Sources: Foreign Trade Statistics of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Bahrain, Qatar, Yemen Arab Republic, PDR Yemen, 1973 FAO Trade Yearbook, Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce and ERS estimates.

Table 25.--Arabian Peninsula: Imports of rice, quantity and value, 1964-74 and 1975 estimate

Country	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Estimate 1975
-- 1,000 metric tons --												
Saudi Arabia	99	140	113	151	124	151	202	220	167	155	211	250
Kuwait	25	50	47	19	42	27	38	55	54	28	80	92
Bahrain	17	18	18	9	19	8	26	26	27	29	24	31
Qatar	4	3	4	4	3	3	4	11	7	6	11	14
United Arab Emirates ..	32	33	25	27	45	34	44	48	64	71	85	105
Oman	3	4	4	4	4	6	8	8	7	9	21	28
PDR Yemen	31	26	28	28	28	60	46	22	25	30	34	35
Yemen Arab Republic ...	4	10	7	8	4	4	5	5	5	2	12	20
Arabian Peninsula	215	284	246	250	269	293	373	395	356	330	478	575
-- 1,000 dollars --												
Saudi Arabia	14,180	22,580	17,200	24,900	29,797	32,809	37,044	38,500	33,000	31,500	110,000	114,000
Kuwait	4,000	8,490	9,290	4,030	10,810	6,829	8,389	9,696	21,189	10,609	44,000	48,000
Bahrain	2,600	3,700	4,400	2,000	4,500	1,900	3,071	5,813	4,811	10,388	14,000	12,000
Qatar	500	570	600	700	575	672	767	2,396	1,255	2,035	5,100	5,800
United Arab Emirates ..	5,000	6,000	4,700	5,500	10,600	7,500	7,700	9,400	13,000	17,800	43,000	51,000
Oman	300	410	450	700	600	900	1,100	1,200	900	2,900	5,800	6,100
PDR Yemen	4,360	4,330	4,180	4,640	5,120	8,848	7,056	2,768	4,000	6,500	14,500	14,800
Yemen Arab Republic ...	390	1,200	800	1,400	615	695	774	775	805	566	3,600	8,000
Arabian Peninsula	31,330	47,280	41,620	43,870	62,617	60,153	65,901	70,548	69,960	82,298	240,000	256,000

Sources: 1973 FAO Trade Yearbook, Foreign Trade Statistics of Kuwait, and matrix tables showing rice exports by the United States, Pakistan, Thailand, EC, India, PRC and Burma to these markets in 1974 and 1975.

Table 27.--Arabian Peninsula: Imports of
apples, oranges, and grapes, annual 1971-74

Country	Apples			
	1971	1972	1973	1974*
-- 1,000 metric tons --				
Saudi Arabia	18.5	23.0	33.8	37.5
Kuwait	13.3	15.9	13.8	17.3
Bahrain	3.3	2.8	2.3	2.9
UAE	1.2	1.7	2.6	4.4
Qatar	1.1	1.9	3.5	4.1
Oman	---	.1	.1	.2
PDR Yemen (Aden) .....	.1	.1	.1	.1
Yemen Arab Republic .....	.1	.2	.4	.5
Total	37.6	45.7	56.6	67.0
	Oranges			
	1971	1972	1973	1974*
-- 1,000 metric tons --				
Saudi Arabia	35.0	36.0	38.0	40.0
Kuwait	24.8	28.1	28.7	31.0
Bahrain	5.9	5.1	4.6	4.9
UAE	2.1	2.7	2.9	3.2
Qatar	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.3
Oman	---	.1	.1	.1
PDR Yemen (Aden) .....	.3	.6	.6	.6
Yemen Arab Republic .....	.1	.1	.1	.1
Total	70.2	75.2	78.0	83.2
	Grapes			
	1971	1972	1973	1974*
-- 1,000 metric tons --				
Saudi Arabia	2.0	2.7	3.3	3.8
Kuwait	3.6	4.4	3.8	4.6
Bahrain .....	.1	.2	.2	.2
UAE .....	.4	.5	.6	.8
Qatar .....	.2	.3	.4	.5
Oman .....	.1	.1	.1	.1
PDR Yemen (Aden)	1.2	1.8	2.0	2.2
Yemen Arab Republic	---	---	---	.1
Total	7.6	10.0	10.4	12.3

*Preliminary.

Table 28.--United States: Agricultural exports to Kuwait: Quantity and value for selected items and average price, fiscal 1973-75

Commodity or commodity group	Quantity			Value			Average price		
	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975	1973	1974	1975
Total agricultural	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	6,225	9,012	22,058	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
	-- Metric tons --			-- 1,000 dollars --			-- Per metric ton --		
Rice	2,160	4,531	27,707	612	1,963	13,567	283.33	433.24	489.62
Vegetable oils	1,018	409	1,515	833	387	1,881	818.27	946.21	1,241.58
Frozen poultry	98	271	591	104	337	761	1,061.22	1,243.54	1,287.65
Poultry feed	907	907	---	166	228	122	183.02	251.38	N.A.
Popcorn	16	196	17	6	47	13	375.00	239.80	764.71
Soybean meal	1,814	2,722	1,814	392	697	424	216.10	256.06	233.74
Cereal preparations	211	301	96	254	283	166	1,203.79	940.20	1,729.17
Flour and pancake mix	80	125	12	57	95	18	712.50	760.00	1,500.00
Almonds	9	119	68	16	492	165	1,777.78	4,134.45	2,426.47
Fruit cocktail	78	157	215	34	83	161	435.90	528.66	748.84
Canned peaches	22	123	220	8	43	135	363.64	349.59	613.64
Baby food	119	75	41	179	85	76	1,504.20	1,133.33	1,853.66
Peas and beans	192	511	733	98	205	428	510.42	401.17	583.90
Tomato puree	2	82	83	1	75	98	500.00	914.63	1,180.72
Other vegetable preps.	656	793	371	301	364	257	458.84	459.02	692.72
Honey	66	64	13	42	57	17	636.36	890.62	1,307.69
Sirups	93	118	71	195	314	261	2,096.77	2,661.02	3,676.06
Sugar preparations	180	117	57	159	115	106	883.33	982.91	1,859.65
Soybean flour	---	577	---	---	176	---	---	305.03	---
Meat sauces	72	300	70	68	376	91	944.44	1,253.33	1,300.00
Flavorings	88	176	103	83	248	166	943.18	1,409.09	1,611.65
	-- 1,000 gallons --			-- 1,000 dollars --			-- Per 1,000 gallons --		
Tomato juice	81	109	92	115	172	214	1,419.75	1,577.98	2,326.09
Orange juice	20	22	28	118	118	230	5,900.00	5,363.64	8,214.29
Liquid beverage bases	24	23	15	1,109	1,063	1,083	46,208.33	46,217.39	72,200.00

Source: Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 30.--Kuwait: Imports of rice, by country of origin, 1971-74

Country of origin	Quantity				Value			
	1971	1972	1973	1974*	1971	1972	1973	1974*
		-- Metric tons --				-- 1,000 dollars --		
Pakistan	21,851	32,772	14,799	8,600	5,003	7,963	5,157	5,100
India	3,581	501	2,393	10,600	757	128	1,318	7,900
Thailand	25,836	14,395	2,549	29,500	3,070	1,625	663	14,500
China, People's Republic of	6,351	627	1,975	1,800	77	66	502	800
Iran	149	136	1,775	900	50	48	888	490
Italy	573	312	---	---	86	46	---	---
United States	---	4,206	2,022	27,922	---	1,055	951	13,628
Uruguay	2,512	---	---	---	628	---	---	---
Burma	---	508	2,527	300	---	74	1,052	120
Other	159	561	391	500	25	90	141	200
Total	55,257	54,020	28,431	80,122	9,696	11,095	10,672	42,738

*Preliminary.

Table 31.--Kuwait: Imports of agricultural commodities,
annual 1968-74 and estimate for 1975

Commodity	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
-- Million dollars --								
<u>Food</u>								
Live animals	8.8	5.6	5.5	5.4	11.5	16.6	23.0	30.0
Meat	9.5	9.7	10.6	10.5	12.9	17.9	32.0	48.0
Dairy products & eggs ..	12.2	12.6	14.0	16.4	21.6	25.0	38.0	44.0
Cereals	19.7	16.7	20.0	25.4	24.0	29.6	67.0	64.0
Fruits & vegetables	25.2	24.6	28.0	28.1	34.5	44.5	52.0	63.0
Sugar	6.2	4.3	5.3	5.6	7.2	10.0	22.3	24.0
Coffee, cocoa, tea, & spices	10.9	15.8	16.3	14.1	20.3	21.8	32.0	38.0
Animal feed	1.0	1.3	1.5	2.2	2.2	3.6	10.0	12.0
Misc. food preps.	3.8	3.3	3.2	5.3	4.8	7.7	14.0	19.0
Beverages	1.9	2.0	2.4	2.5	3.0	2.0	3.0	3.3
<u>Agr'l Raw Materials</u>								
Tobacco, unmanufactured:	--	--	--	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.0	1.0
Hides and skins	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Oilseeds	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	1.1	2.0	2.0
Natural rubber	--	--	--	--	--	0.1	0.1	0.1
Natural fibers	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.5	1.0	1.0
Crude animal & vege- table matter, nes	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	1.6	2.0	2.5
Oils and fats	2.2	2.1	1.7	3.1	3.2	3.6	5.5	8.0
Total	103.0	99.2	109.7	120.1	147.3	188.4	305.0	360.0

Source: Annual Foreign Trade Statistics of Kuwait, 1968-72.

Table 32.--U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia, FY 1964-75

Year (July-June)	Total	Wheat and flour	Rice	Feed grains	Animal feed
-- 1,000 dollars --					
1964	15,268	5,119	7,289	53	1/
1965	15,130	6,808	4,747	67	1/
1966	19,813	7,147	7,909	81	1/
1967	24,398	7,443	11,967	127	1/
1968	26,818	8,110	12,855	149	248
1969	24,197	5,591	12,644	35	104
1970	27,512	6,243	15,622	116	100
1971	24,461	7,471	9,834	48	303
1972	30,510	8,365	15,853	89	324
1973	35,799	10,660	14,825	587	1,044
1974	91,671	21,381	52,403	5	3,366
1975	123,562	54,587	42,195	---	3,503
-- 1,000 dollars --					
	Vegetable oils and shortening	Oilcake and meal	Dairy products	Other	
1964	154	0	382	2,271	
1965	194	1	445	2,868	
1966	337	11	511	3,817	
1967	340	15	452	4,054	
1968	548	9	542	4,357	
1969	676	26	444	4,677	
1970	575	91	313	4,452	
1971	797	97	305	5,606	
1972	1,018	157	156	4,548	
1973	1,048	85	270	7,280	
1974	2,397	381	929	10,809	
1975	9,067	44	1,180	12,986	

1/ Included in other.

Source: Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 33.--United States: Agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia, quantity, value, and average price, annual 1972-74 and estimate for 1975

Commodity	Quantity				Value			
	1972	1973	1974	1975 estimate	1972	1973	1974	1975 estimate
	-- Metric tons --				-- 1,000 dollars --			
Total agricultural	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	32,814	65,545	110,028	180,000
Cereals and preparations	195,363	210,484	244,043	448,200	26,375	51,734	92,767	137,510
Wheat flour	109,182	102,559	152,636	330,000	9,101	14,847	36,720	81,840
Wheat	---	34,918	---	18,000	---	3,916	---	2,970
Rice	79,582	70,503	90,184	96,000	16,280	31,966	55,027	46,560
Corn and corn seed	6,096	1,753	381	2,000	521	169	122	300
Macaroni	5	38	269	600	3	19	181	420
Bakery products	85	416	216	1,000	75	523	280	1,400
Other cereal preparations	413	297	357	600	395	294	437	720
Meat and meat products	188	266	325	520	473	702	743	1,208
Beef and veal	55	51	57	100	248	237	260	440
Beef, prepared	98	198	250	400	153	425	441	720
Pork	35	17	18	20	72	40	42	48
Poultry and products	193	386	220	1,900	200	509	432	3,688
Chickens, frozen	155	347	199	1,700	158	439	339	2,848
Turkeys, frozen	38	39	21	200	42	70	93	840
Dairy products	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	194	454	533	2,300
Fresh milk (gallons)	87,000	161,000	165,000	200,000	115	337	325	400
Dry milk	10	1	24	700	13	1	26	1,190
Cheese	24	50	60	220	41	103	150	616
Fruits and preparations	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	756	1,136	2,027	7,200
Canned fruits	321	389	769	2,100	181	250	544	1,470
Canned peaches	88	61	124	280	34	26	60	129
Canned pears	5	24	41	65	3	13	24	36
Fruit cocktail	86	102	231	450	37	50	110	212
Fruit juices (gallons)	118,000	310,000	494,000	1,300,000	219	399	774	2,080
Tomato juice (gallons)	264,000	325,000	314,000	400,000	303	417	526	680
Oranges	---	---	---	10,000	---	---	---	2,200
Nuts and preparations	16	20	58	110	45	49	166	350
Almonds	1	---	16	40	4	---	44	112
Pecans	3	3	7	42	13	16	28	151
Vegetables and preparations	884	1,132	1,812	4,400	408	586	1,187	2,728
Tomato products	61	85	102	200	21	51	80	154
Soybean meal	907	---	907	3,000	167	---	402	600
Animal feed	---	907	1,814	3,500	---	259	673	1,050
Vegetable seeds	39	73	107	300	197	250	544	1,600
	Average price							
	1972	1973	1974	1975 estimate				
	-- Dollars per ton --							
Total agricultural	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.				
Cereals and preparations	135.01	245.79	380.13	306.80				
Wheat flour	83.36	144.77	240.57	258.00				
Wheat	---	112.15	---	165.00				
Rice	204.57	453.40	610.17	485.00				
Corn and corn seed	85.47	96.41	315.00	150.00				
Macaroni	600.00	500.00	672.86	706.00				
Bakery products	882.35	1,257.21	1,296.30	1,400.00				
Other cereal preparations	956.42	989.90	1,224.09	1,200.00				
Meat and meat products	2,515.96	2,639.10	2,286.15	2,323.07				
Beef and veal	4,509.09	4,647.06	4,561.40	4,400.00				
Beef, prepared	1,561.22	2,146.46	1,764.00	1,800.00				
Pork	2,057.14	2,352.94	2,333.33	2,400.00				
Poultry and products	1,036.27	1,318.65	1,963.64	1,940.00				
Chickens, frozen	1,019.35	1,265.13	1,703.52	1,675.00				
Turkeys, frozen	1,105.26	1,794.87	4,428.57	4,200.00				
Dairy products	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.				
Fresh milk (gallons)	1.32	2.09	1.97	2.00				
Dry milk	1,300.00	1,000.00	1,083.33	1,700.00				
Cheese	1,708.33	2,060.00	2,500.00	2,800.00				
Fruits and preparations	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.				
Canned fruits	563.86	642.67	707.41	700.00				
Canned peaches	386.36	426.23	483.87	460.00				
Canned pears	600.00	541.67	585.37	550.00				
Fruit cocktail	430.23	490.20	476.19	470.00				
Fruit juices (gallons)	1.86	1.29	1.57	1.60				
Tomato juice (gallons)	1.15	1.28	1.68	1.70				
Oranges	---	---	---	220.00				
Nuts and preparations	2,812.50	2,450.00	2,862.07	3,181.00				
Almonds	4,000.00	---	2,750.00	2,800.00				
Pecans	4,333.33	5,333.33	4,000.00	3,600.00				
Vegetables and preparations	461.54	517.67	655.08	620.00				
Tomato products	344.26	600.00	784.31	770.00				
Soybean meal	184.12	---	443.22	200.00				
Animal feed	---	285.56	371.00	300.00				
Vegetable seeds	5,055.10	3,424.00	5,084.10	5,333.33				

Source: Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce for 1972-74 and ERS estimate for 1975.

Table 34.--Saudi Arabia: Imports of agricultural commodities, annual 1965-73 and estimated for 1974

Item	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 1/
-- 1,000 dollars --										
Total	107,024	111,222	115,131	147,641	184,365	186,180	225,000	254,806	379,430	475,000
Cattle	1,240	710	604	4,482	2,971	3,212	3,500	6,500	9,300	14,000
Sheep and goats	12,298	11,395	6,620	29,749	21,444	17,638	18,400	26,085	35,200	41,000
Meat	1,290	2,600	2,665	3,806	4,872	6,201	5,434	6,084	10,300	18,500
Poultry, fresh	n.l.	n.l.	2,361	3,258	4,612	4,927	4,900	5,900	8,100	15,000
Canned meat	180	175	374	372	n.l.	275	290	1,500	1,900	3,800
Milk, condensed, dry, fresh	4,326	3,390	6,020	7,892	8,162	9,966	5,650	8,100	13,500	21,000
Milk, dry	1,470	1,470	3,131	5,457	5,726	397	2,900	4,800	8,000	17,000
Butter	1,393	1,120	2,970	2,286	2,519	2,337	2,400	2,900	3,200	3,500
Cheese and curd	2,556	1,748	3,546	3,196	4,493	5,233	4,830	4,830	5,100	7,000
Eggs	2,011	1,350	2,040	2,120	2,751	2,620	3,300	3,700	4,000	5,000
Wheat and flour	17,962	17,151	25,652	14,438	20,736	26,653	26,610	30,600	50,800	98,000
Wheat	7,660	7,529	14,504	3,550	7,072	12,790	12,610	13,600	15,800	26,000
Wheat flour	10,302	9,622	11,148	10,888	13,664	13,863	14,000	17,000	35,000	72,000
Rice	22,580	23,555	26,682	29,797	32,809	37,044	38,500	30,700	76,000	110,000
Sorghum and other cereals	2,420	4,170	4,757	4,939	11,671	8,399	10,545	12,545	19,000	21,000
Corn	2,292	2,103	2,083	1,524	1,090	1,626	1,630	1,800	2,000	3,900
Oranges	2,460	3,210	3,776	3,500	4,974	5,611	5,600	7,600	8,000	8,700
Other citrus	226	246	504	526	739	819	840	852	900	1,100
Bananas	1,791	1,941	2,040	1,878	2,918	3,007	3,700	4,850	6,500	7,000
Apples	2,047	2,630	3,482	3,354	3,460	2,358	2,850	3,000	4,900	5,600
Grapes	134	157	377	366	407	218	410	460	680	800
Raisins	30	15	40	108	140	161	165	190	280	400
Beans and peas	1,560	483	887	1,444	1,746	1,338	1,950	2,350	3,700	5,400
Tomatoes	630	770	1,059	1,049	1,330	1,585	1,620	1,680	2,100	3,500
Onions	398	750	1,268	1,080	1,142	564	618	880	1,000	800
Sugar	10,050	6,910	1,883	6,024	5,223	7,395	9,962	14,762	27,700	39,100
Coffee	4,680	10,500	4,286	5,043	6,351	5,326	5,590	6,300	7,700	10,000
Tea	4,507	7,087	4,520	4,121	8,413	6,327	6,320	6,600	7,400	10,500
Tobacco	---	---	110	244	526	415	418	456	670	800
Soybean oil	62	18	n.l.	452	584	747	750	1,050	1,800	3,100
Cottonseed oil	801	520	886	635	655	456	624	702	2,200	2,400

1/ Estimate.

Sources: FAO Trade Yearbooks 1967 and 1972; OECD Commodity Trade 1972; Foreign Trade Statistics of supplying countries for 1973; and ERS estimates.

Table 35.--Saudi Arabia: Estimated production of horticultural crops, annual 1967-74

Crop	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974
-- 1,000 Metric tons --								
Watermelons	585	805	945	1,162	1,185	1,225	1,300	1,360
Melons	35	40	55	79	88	110	120	140
Pumpkins	32	35	55	61	75	100	110	125
Eggplant	75	120	160	198	220	235	250	260
Cucumbers	10	11	12	14	16	17	20	22
Sweet potatoes	8	8	9	9	10	10	12	12
Potatoes	1	1	2	2	3	3	3	3
Other root crops	4	6	7	8	10	12	13	15
Tomatoes	52	57	61	78	80	90	108	125
Onions	12	23	30	50	61	75	80	85
Leeks	5	5	6	6	7	7	8	8
Squash	11	13	16	18	20	24	27	28
Okra	6	7	8	8	9	9	10	10
Green pepper	5	5	7	8	10	12	13	15
Marrow	6	6	7	7	7	8	8	8
Cabbage, cauliflower, and lettuce ..	6	7	10	14	16	20	22	25
Total vegetables shown	853	1,149	1,390	1,717	1,817	1,957	2,104	2,242
Dates	220	240	245	252	258	260	265	255
Oranges	3	4	5	6	6	7	8	9
Lemons	2	3	4	5	5	5	6	6
Other citrus	1	1	1	2	2	2	3	3
Pomegranite	17	18	19	20	22	22	21	24
Apples	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Plums	11	11	12	13	13	14	14	15
Grapes	8	10	12	14	15	17	17	20
Peaches	3	3	3	3	4	4	5	5
Apricots	3	3	4	4	5	6	6	6
Bananas	1	1	2	3	4	4	5	5
Tropical fruits	3	4	4	5	6	7	7	8
Total fruits shown	274	300	313	329	342	350	359	361
Total horticultural products	1,127	1,449	1,703	2,046	2,159	2,307	2,463	2,603

Sources: Ministry of Agriculture and Water, Riyadh; FAO 1973 Production Yearbook; and ERS estimates.

Table 36.--Saudi Arabia: Estimated production of selected crops, annual 1967-75

Crop	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
-- 1,000 Metric tons --									
Wheat	150	130	150	135	72	115	135	150	200
Rice	2	3	4	4	3	3	4	5	5
Barley	24	23	29	22	18	28	23	35	38
Sorghum	105	125	120	134	140	150	135	160	170
Millet	120	115	130	190	195	210	185	230	240
Corn	2	2	4	5	5	6	6	7	10
Other cereals	17	16	18	19	20	22	17	25	30
Total coarse grains	268	281	301	370	378	416	366	457	488
Total cereals	370	409	440	524	453	554	505	442	693
Pulses	3	3	4	4	4	4	3	5	6
Sesame	15	17	15	16	17	18	17	20	21
Alfalfa (dry weight)	510	540	570	616	670	700	680	750	950
Hay	140	150	160	175	185	200	190	200	270
Watermelons	585	805	945	1,162	1,185	1,225	1,300	1,360	1,400
Sweet melons	35	40	55	79	88	110	120	140	150
Garden vegetables	233	304	390	476	544	632	684	742	780
Dates	220	240	245	252	258	260	265	255	250
Other fruits	54	60	68	77	84	90	94	106	112

Sources: Ministry of Agriculture and Water, Riyadh; FAO 1972 and 1973 Production Yearbooks; and ERS estimates.

Table 37.--Saudi Arabia: Purchases of rice, wheat and wheat flour as indicated by trading partners,
annual 1969-74, and estimate for 1975

Commodity and country	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975
-- 1,000 Metric tons --							
Rice:							
United States	67.8	63.5	52.8	79.6	70.5	90.2	96.0
Thailand	65.6	120.6	95.1	27.3	47.4	75.0	70.0
Pakistan	11.8	5.7	17.1	29.0	31.1	30.0	60.0
Burma	2.2	2.4	2.7	1.5	1.8	---	3.0
Egypt .....	.6	.8	1.9	1.3	.6	---	---
Italy	---	.7	---	---	---	---	5.0
Other	2.7	9.1	50.4	28.6	2.7	16.0	17.0
Total	150.7	202.8	220.0	166.5	154.1	211.2	250.0
Wheat:							
Australia	72.8	71.0	104.0	106.5	37.0	112.8	80.0
United States .....	.8	1.5	.1	---	35.0	---	15.0
Canada	10.4	20.9	25.2	14.7	15.9	---	---
Italy	---	29.9	---	---	---	---	---
Other	5.1	8.3	3.7	32.8	19.1	7.0	5.0
Total	89.1	131.6	133.0	154.0	107.0	119.8	100.0
Wheat flour:							
United States	78.9	98.0	90.8	109.4	102.5	150.3	320.0
Netherlands	8.0	11.8	4.8	21.0	50.8	37.0	50.0
West Germany	12.0	19.3	24.9	27.7	19.8	24.0	27.0
France	5.4	9.4	5.5	3.0	4.1	5.0	10.0
Canada	1.5	10.8	5.5	4.0	9.3	5.3	7.0
Australia	13.4	12.7	8.2	8.3	12.0	6.1	11.0
Other	16.4	4.0	19.1	2.6	4.8	7.0	15.0
Total	135.6	166.0	158.0	176.0	195.0	234.7	440.0

Source: Trade statistics of trading partners.

Table 38.--United States: Agricultural exports to the United Arab Emirates,
by value, fiscal 1973-75

Commodity	1973	1974	1975
-- 1,000 dollars --			
Total	1,496	5,407	8,163
Vegetable saps	112	533	1,146
Wheat flour	104	1,178	710
Rice	49	1,178	710
Vegetable oils	75	159	591
Vegetables, canned and frozen	94	244	573
Corn starch	33	115	426
Fruit juices and tomato juice	86	270	388
Beverage bases	---	305	275
Bakery products	19	112	203
Meat sauces	40	103	151
Coffee preparations	98	139	149
Canned meat	10	51	147
Almonds	---	---	129
Fruit cocktail	2	15	87
Whole dry milk	1	58	77
Vegetable seeds	24	35	64
Canned pears	3	9	58
Canned peaches	---	4	48
Peanut butter	---	3	18
Sugar, refined	---	---	56
Shortening	24	137	55
Cheese	6	22	54
Sirups	36	44	54

Table 39.--Yemen Arab Republic: Total agricultural imports, 1968-73

Commodity	SITC code	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
-- <u>Metric tons</u> --							
Total	---	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.
Milk	022.0	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.	N.L.
Butter	023.0	---	12	962	76	100	150
Cheese	024.0	---	39	30	27	46	50
Wheat	041	11,937	30,635	29,400	57,518	53,036	63,322
Wheat flour	046	12,871	32,245	56,613	34,371	21,133	40,289
Rice	042	4,000	4,500	5,000	5,000	5,199	2,100
Other cereals ...	045.9	---	1,981	1,000	1,000	671	1,000
Dates	052.01	3,700	4,976	5,000	6,000	6,363	12,755
Sugar	06 (All)	46,833	57,502	54,567	52,972	19,354	57,776
Tea	074.1	450	450	500	500	556	4,789
Tobacco	121.1	---	---	---	1,200	1,595	1,700
-- <u>1,000 dollars</u> --							
Total	---	14,300	25,000	26,700	21,000	43,600	66,000
Milk	022.0	107	675	670	997	1,150	1,940
Butter	023.0	---	7	500	29	37	60
Cheese	024.0	---	30	28	28	49	50
Wheat	041	1,050	2,600	2,300	4,499	5,795	2,602
Wheat flour	046	1,200	2,900	5,000	2,059	2,000	10,950
Rice	042	615	695	774	775	805	566
Other cereals ...	045.9	---	160	120	120	80	120
Dates	052.01	240	300	650	835	869	1,708
Sugar	06 (All)	3,200	4,700	4,100	5,522	3,720	15,707
Tea	074.1	441	441	491	491	546	3,445
Tobacco	121.1	---	---	---	348	456	495

Table 40.--Yemen Arab Republic: Supply of grains,
annual 1965-74 and estimate for 1975

Commodity	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	Estimate 1975
-- 1,000 Metric tons --											
Wheat:											
Spring production	12	16	18	15	15	15	33	54	50	71	78
Imports:											
Wheat	22	27	13	12	31	104	82	53	62	155	180
Wheat flour <u>1</u> /	7	21	16	13	32	54	66	72	80	74	85
Wheat and wheat flour <u>2</u> / ..	29	48	29	25	63	158	148	153	173	229	245
Supply	41	64	47	40	75	173	181	207	223	300	323
Rice imports <u>3</u> /	11	12	15	14	12	14	15	17	22	40	45
Coarse grains:											
Production:											
Fall sorghum and millet ..	600	550	500	450	680	984	1,020	900	720	1,200	1,250
Spring barley	118	118	122	122	142	160	154	178	165	230	220
Spring corn (maize)	1	18	22	22	9	32	80	80	84	120	140
Total production	719	686	644	594	831	1,176	1,254	1,158	1,142	1,550	1,610
Imports	2	14	3	15	5	6	6	12	14	18	24
Supply	721	700	647	609	836	1,182	1,260	1,170	1,156	1,568	1,634
Total grains:											
Production	631	602	562	489	706	1,191	1,287	1,212	1,187	1,621	1,688
Imports	42	74	47	54	80	178	169	182	205	287	314
Supply	673	676	609	543	786	1,369	1,456	1,394	1,392	1,908	2,002

1/ Actual flour.

2/ Includes wheat flour in wheat equivalent. 3/ Includes deliveries from Aden.

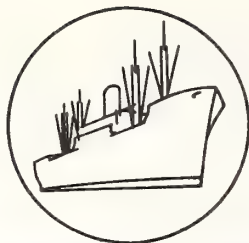
Sources: FAO Production and Trade Yearbooks, 1971 and 1973, and NCAER, New Delhi.

Table 41--Australia: Exports to the Arabian Peninsula in 1972 and 1973

Country	Wheat			Wheat flour		
	1972	1973		1972	1973	
	-- Metric tons --	-- 1,000 dollars --		-- Metric tons --	-- 1,000 dollars --	
Saudi Arabia	96,216	31,642	7,374	4,318	N.L.	790
Kuwait	113,388	89,674	6,716	6,637	N.L.	---
Qatar	7,101	13,500	427	- 1,948	N.L.	469
United Arab Emirates	4,237	4,847	318	721	N.L.	1,972
Bahrain	29,741	20,020	1,774	1,605	N.L.	7
Oman	4,202	2,250	306	313	N.L.	495
PDR Yemen (Aden)	6,898	---	482	---	N.L.	---
Yemen	97,180	6,487	7,224	830	N.L.	16
Total	358,963	168,420	24,621	16,372	N.L.	3,742
						6,588
	Butter			Cheese		
	1972	1973		1972	1973	
	-- Metric tons --	-- 1,000 dollars --		-- Metric tons --	-- 1,000 dollars --	
Saudi Arabia	2,109	2,114	2,534	2,469	3,254	3,647
Kuwait	295	245	356	325	796	1,089
Qatar	71	113	86	146	61	81
United Arab Emirates	375	562	491	705	351	595
Bahrain	229	280	270	335	90	155
Oman	620	1,102	760	1,419	249	429
PDR Yemen (Aden)	142	141	166	163	68	87
Yemen	20	58	22	66	28	35
Total	3,861	4,615	4,685	5,628	4,404	5,786
						8,458
	Live animals			Beef and mutton		
	1972	1973		1972	1973	
	-- Metric tons --	-- 1,000 dollars --		-- Metric tons --	-- 1,000 dollars --	
Saudi Arabia	N.L.	N.L.	102	501	1,455	1,968
Kuwait	N.L.	N.L.	3,610	5,554	4,333	2,563
Qatar	N.L.	N.L.	79	922	630	262
United Arab Emirates	N.L.	N.L.	---	941	1,779	2,263
Bahrain	N.L.	N.L.	48	153	424	608
Oman	N.L.	N.L.	93	---	1,055	1,065
PDR Yemen (Aden)	N.L.	N.L.	---	---	1	---
Yemen	N.L.	N.L.	---	---	12	25
Total	N.L.	N.L.	3,932	8,071	9,689	6,466
						7,297
						13,285

Table 42.--Thailand: Grain exports to the Arabian Peninsula,
quantity, value, and average price, annual 1972-74

Country	Rice								
	Quantity			Value			Average price		
	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974
	-- Metric tons --			-- 1,000 dollars --			-- Dollars per ton --		
Saudi Arabia ..	27,343	48,840	73,792	2,869	15,890	29,535	104.93	325.35	400.25
Kuwait	12,854	300	34,058	1,185	135	16,428	92.19	450.00	482.35
Bahrain	9,505	90	100	898	37	47	94.48	411.11	470.00
Qatar	---	---	2,830	---	---	1,643	---	---	580.57
UAE	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Oman	---	---	17,153	---	---	7,690	---	---	448.32
PDR Yemen									
(Aden)	751	---	---	77	---	---	102.53	---	---
Yemen	21,447	6,765	17,405	1,945	1,917	7,986	90.69	283.37	458.83
Total	71,900	55,995	145,339	6,974	17,979	63,329	97.00	321.08	435.73
	Corn								
	Quantity			Value			Average price		
	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974
	-- Metric tons --			-- 1,000 dollars --			-- Dollars per ton --		
Saudi Arabia ..	10,301	9,326	26,350	562	929	3,479	54.56	99.61	132.03
Kuwait	9,665	12,656	19,027	593	1,352	2,565	61.36	106.83	134.81
Bahrain	725	965	1,915	41	103	269	56.55	106.74	140.47
Qatar	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
UAE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Oman	---	---	850	---	---	140	---	---	164.71
PDR Yemen									
(Aden)	---	---	1,000	---	---	134	---	---	134.00
Yemen	---	500	2,050	---	52	255	---	104.00	124.39
Total	20,691	23,447	51,192	1,196	2,436	6,842	57.80	103.89	133.65
	Sorghum								
	Quantity			Value			Average price		
	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974	1972	1973	1974
	-- Metric tons --			-- 1,000 dollars --			-- Dollars per ton --		
Saudi Arabia ..	18,210	8,647	11,961	933	922	1,476	51.24	106.63	123.40
Kuwait	---	25	162	---	2	22	---	80.00	135.80
Bahrain	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Qatar	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
UAE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Oman	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
PDR Yemen									
(Aden)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Yemen	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	18,210	8,672	12,123	933	924	1,498	51.24	105.55	123.57



SPECIAL in this issue

INTERNATIONAL PRICE DEVELOPMENTS

by

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Record high prices for leading agricultural commodities pushed the value of U.S. agricultural exports and imports to unprecedented levels in fiscal 1975. Offsetting a 15-percent decline in export volume and a 10-percent drop in import volume were gains in the indexes of unit values: 14 percent for exports and 10 percent for imports. During the latter part of the fiscal year, however, some of the index values took a sharp downward turn.

Commodity Developments

During fiscal 1975, the wheat export unit value hit \$4.80 a bushel--a record high induced by heavy foreign demand. Wheat exports were at near record high levels, despite curtailed imports by the USSR and the People's Republic of China.

Wheat flour, which had been underpriced relative to wheat in fiscal 1974, rose 47 percent to \$11.17 a hundredweight in fiscal 1975.

Fiscal 1975's export unit value for corn was a record \$3.55 a bushel. The short 1974 U.S. corn crop left reduced supplies for the export market, setting the stage for high international corn prices. U.S. corn exports, at 1.1 billion bushels in fiscal 1975, were down from the 2 previous years, but were still much higher than exports made prior to fiscal 1973.

Grain sorghum was priced 10 percent less than in fiscal 1975; a year earlier, the differential had been much greater.

Soybeans had an export unit value of \$7.30 a bushel in fiscal 1975--also largely because of a reduced U.S. soybean crop. The burden of lower soybean supplies fell on the vegetable oils side of the oilseed complex rather than on the oilseed meals side. The export unit value for soybean oil, at 36 cents a pound, was up 46 percent from fiscal 1974. World supplies of vegetable oils were tight, while the oilseed meal situation eased because of the slowdown in the feeding of concentrates to livestock.

The export unit value of soybean meal fell 26 percent to \$154 a short ton. Because soybean crushing margins had been narrow in fiscal 1974, U.S. soybean exports were lower in fiscal 1975 than in fiscal 1974, but soybean oil exports were higher and soybean meal exports were steady. Soybean meal was also priced more reasonably in relation to corn in fiscal 1975 than it was in fiscal 1974.

U.S. cotton exports fell in every major market in fiscal 1975, partly because of the downturn in business activity, and also because many importers had built up their stocks of fibers. However, the export unit value of cotton held up long after spot prices fell, since a large share of U.S. cotton was forward contracted during the 1974/75 season. The export unit value of cotton, at \$266.50 a running bale, was still 18 percent higher in fiscal 1975 than in fiscal 1974.

The U.S. rice market benefited in fiscal 1975 by increased exports to Iraq, Iran, Bangladesh, and the Republic of Korea, which more than offset declines in exports to South Vietnam and Cambodia. However, the export unit value of milled rice, at 18 cents a pound, was 16 percent lower than in fiscal 1974, but more reasonably priced in relation to wheat.

The import unit value of coffee slipped 4 percent to 56 cents a pound in fiscal 1975 because of a near record world crop. For raw sugar, the import unit value skyrocketed to \$564 a short ton (28 cents a pound). The price spiral of late calendar year 1974 was the culmination of several years of sugar consumption outstripping production. By early 1975, consumer resistance caused a downturn in the level of consumption and prices.

The cocoa bean import unit value reached a record 70 cents a pound, 23 percent higher than in fiscal 1974. The 1974/75 cocoa bean crop was about the same as the poor 1973/74 crop, and total supplies tightened. During the course of the fiscal year, consumers demonstrated the same resistance to high cocoa bean prices as they did to high sugar prices, causing a downturn in cocoa bean consumption and prices.

In the livestock complex, imported fresh and frozen beef and canned hams both had declining import unit values, primarily because of the oversupply of meats in the world market in 1974. Rubber and wool import unit values turned downward in response to the decline in general economic activity.

U.S. Agricultural Export Unit Value Index Compared With Other U.S. Price Indexes

The recent weakening of U.S. agricultural export unit values is consistent with changes that have occurred in the index of prices received by U.S. farmers and in the U.S. Consumer Price Index for food. The index of prices received by farmers reached its record high in February 1974, hit a trough in June 1974, a peak in October 1974, and then another trough in March 1975. Higher livestock prices strengthened the index during the spring quarter of 1975. The agricultural export unit value index reached its all-time high in November 1974, but fell sharply until June 1975 (the latest month of this analysis) as export demand slowed. Despite sharp declines in farm and export prices, the Consumer Price Index for food showed some signs of weakening in March and April. Higher retail food marketing costs offset the falling agricultural raw material costs.

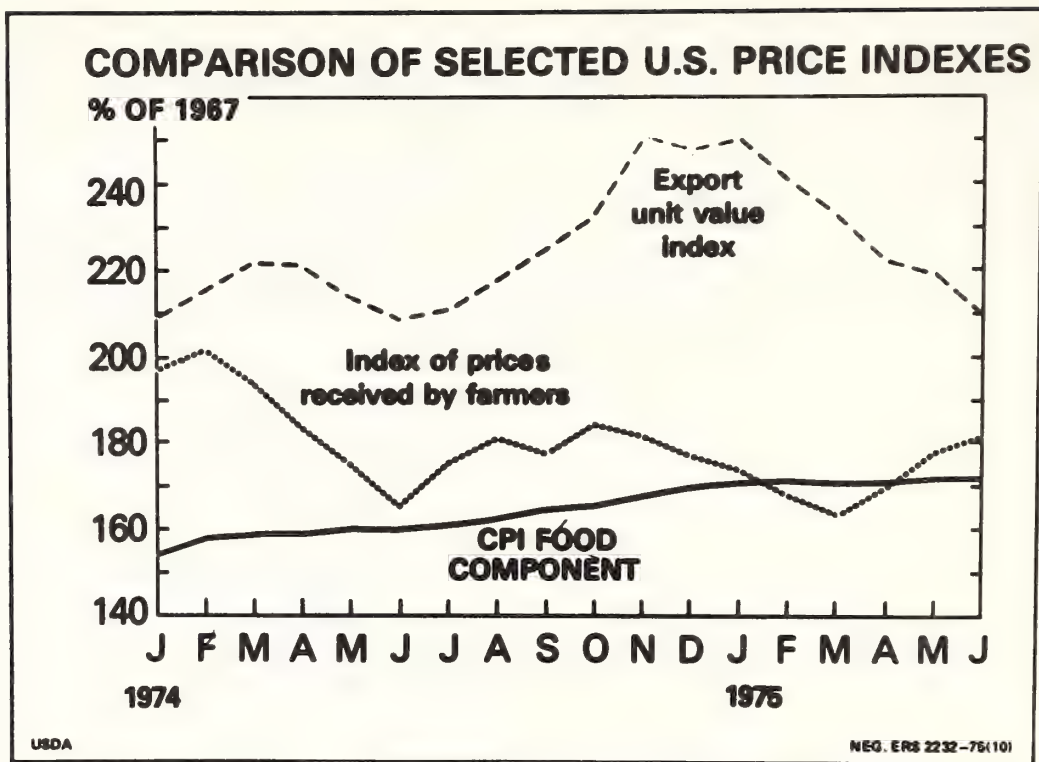


Figure 1.

During the first half of fiscal 1975, the weather-reduced U.S. corn and soybean crop situation and strong export demand for U.S. agricultural commodities drove up prices in the three indexes. But by the latter half of the fiscal year, the downturn in economic activity in the United States and many importing countries, together with consumer resistance to the previous high prices, weakened demand and subsequently weakened prices.

August 1975 Price Developments

In August, U.S. agricultural export and import prices continued to strengthen, as they had in July. The Dow Jones commodity spot price index, at 319, was up 8 percent. Prices of wheat, corn, soybeans, soybean meal, rice, cotton, coffee, sugar, and cocoa beans all increased. Rubber prices declined less than 1 percent. Imported cowmeat declined 4 percent.

U.S. Gulf prices for Hard Winter wheat (HWW) and Dark Northern Spring wheat (DNS) rose 10 and 11 percent to \$161 and \$186 a ton, respectively, on the basis of export activity and the possibility of further grain exports to the USSR. Moreover, Canada has stopped selling wheat to all markets--other than recent sales to the USSR--until she can clearly assess her supply position.

In Rotterdam, the August price for U.S. HWW rose 14 percent and U.S. DNS rose 5 percent. While Canada has posted no quotations in Rotterdam for close delivery dates, August quotations for November delivery showed an extremely wide price spread between U.S. and Canadian wheat.

The August U.S. corn export price rose 7 percent to \$136 a ton. In Rotterdam, price gains for U.S. and Argentine corn were smaller than in July. While U.S. sorghum has been priced well below U.S. corn in the Rotterdam market, the Gulf Ports price of sorghum has skyrocketed.

Prices in the soybean complex continued to strengthen in August. The Gulf Ports price for soybeans rose 7 percent, to \$233 a ton. In the Rotterdam market, the price of U.S. soybeans rose 8 percent. Soybean meal made its first substantial price gain since January.

Cotton prices rose on the basis of increased mill demand. Mills are beginning to require raw cotton to replenish their dwindling inventories.

Prices of major agricultural imports also surged upward in August. The New York spot price for Santos No. 4 coffee made a whopping increase to 93.5 cents a pound, primarily a response to the recent freeze which will affect the 1976/77 coffee crop. Sugar prices also strengthened for the second consecutive month because of rumors of Soviet sugar purchases, possible damage to the Brazilian sugar cane crop, and drought damage to European sugarbeet crops. The New York spot price for cane sugar reached 21 cents a pound. In August, the United States paid a 1.01-cent-a-pound premium over the world market price for sugar originating in the Caribbean region.

The New York spot price for cocoa beans from Accra gained 5 percent, reaching 78 cents a pound, largely on the basis of nearby tight supplies.

The New York spot price for rubber was off slightly from the July price of 31 cents a pound. July and August rubber prices were strengthened by the recent Chinese purchases of Malaysian rubber. Imported cowmeat prices drifted down to 59 cents a pound.

Table 43.--Unit values of 25 leading U.S. agricultural trade commodities, quarter and year ending June 1975 1/

Commodity	Unit	Unit value							
		Quarter ending June		Quarter ending		Fiscal year ending June			
		1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
		Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Percent	Dollars	Percent
Export commodities:									
Wheat	Bu.	4,570	4,970	5,168	91.9	4,801	88.4	4,124	116.4
Wheat flour	do.	4,643	4,122	5,357	112.6	4,905	86.6	3,340	146.8
Corn	do.	3,375	2,980	3,719	113.2	3,554	90.7	2,709	131.1
Sorghum grain	do.	2,817	2,929	3,414	96.1	3,229	82.5	2,592	124.5
Soybeans	do.	6,349	6,338	7,383	100.1	7,296	85.9	6,304	115.7
Soybean meal	S.ton	151,963	177,092	158,840	85.8	153,855	95.6	207,521	74.1
Soybean oil	Lb.	327	.289	.389	113.1	.360	84.0	.246	146.3
Cotton	Rble.	239,013	253,363	274,308	94.3	266,497	87.1	226,633	117.5
Tobacco, flue-cured	Lb.	1,583	1,315	1,729	120.3	1,592	91.5	1,377	115.6
Rice, milled	do.	.191	.240	.201	79.5	.184	95.0	.220	83.6
Tallow, inedible	do.	.153	.223	.155	68.6	.156	98.7	.191	81.6
Hides, cattle, whole	No.	11,132	17,323	10,836	64.2	11,610	102.7	18,085	64.1
Nonfat dry milk	Lb.	.567	.349	.518	162.4	.577	109.4	.333	173.2
Average, i.e., index number 2/	---				101.4		90.0		114.1
Import commodities:									
Coffee	Lb.	.529	.610	.557	86.7	.560	94.9	.582	96.0
Sugar	S.ton	617,448	293,922	712,693	210.0	564,469	86.6	221,250	255.1
Beef & veal, fresh, chilled or froz.	Lb.	.424	.735	.474	57.6	.506	89.4	.825	61.3
Hams	do.	1,277	1,185	1,196	107.7	1,144	106.7	1,309	87.4
Rubber	do.	.229	.393	.227	58.2	.265	100.8	.324	81.7
Cocoa beans	do.	.634	.653	.726	97.0	.701	87.3	.566	123.9
Bananas	Gwt.	.051	.044	.048	115.9	.049	106.2	.045	108.9
Wines	Gal.	5,095	4,869	4,836	104.6	4,928	105.3	5,247	93.9
Tobacco	Lb.	.691	.628	.719	110.0	.682	96.1	.627	108.8
Cattle, dutiable	No.	153,616	156,861	380,200	97.9	259,682	40.4	197,267	131.6
Tomatoes	Lb.	.111	.101	.109	109.9	.113	101.8	.108	104.6
Wool, except free in bond	do.	1,069	.1437	1,089	74.3	1,188	98.1	1,439	82.6
Average, i.e., index number 2/	---				115.5		92.3		109.4
Terms of trade (export index divided by import index)	---				87.7		97.5		104.2

1/ Unit values were computed from the value and quantity figures published in Foreign Agricultural Trade of the United States. Cotton poundages were obtained from U.S. Bureau of the Census Reports, Supplement to EM 522.

2/ The index numbers are of "Fisher's Ideal" type.

Table 44.--Selected price series of international significance

Year and month	Wheat, U.S. No. 2, Hard Winter, ordinary		Wheat, U.S. No. 2, Hard Winter, ordinary		Wheat, U.S. No. 2, Dark Northern Spring, c.i.f. U.K., nearest forward shipment		Wheat, U.S. No. 2, Dark Northern Spring, c.i.f. Rotterdam 1/		Wheat, No. 1, Canadian Western, 13 1/2-percent protein, c.i.f. U.K., nearest forward shipment		Wheat, No. 1, Canadian Western, 13 1/2-percent protein, c.i.f. Rotterdam 1/		Corn, U.S., No. 2 yellow, f.o.b. vessel, Gulf ports	
	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.	\$/bu.	\$/m.t.
September 1974 -	4.33	159.42	88.60	200.96	169	180.07	200	192.30	105.96	237.91	209	3.36	132.18	
August 1975 average														
1974														
August	4.56	167.55	88.50	204.46	196	186.29	217	194.70	95.29	220.03	216	3.70	145.66	
September	4.64	170.49	92.00	209.76	194	188.13	214	194.49	97.19	221.71	213	3.59	141.33	
October	5.23	192.17	n.q.	n.q.	216	209.07	233	216.05	106.76	244.77	234	3.85	151.57	
November	5.10	187.39	106.31	230.72	209	208.34	233	226.00	113.93	247.26	237	3.66	144.09	
December	5.06	185.92	103.11	236.55	198	205.76	228	225.60	n.q.	n.q.	232	3.78	148.81	
1975														
January	4.42	167.61	94.98	222.57	171	n.q.	203	209.07	n.q.	n.q.	209	3.31	130.31	
February	4.21	154.69	89.46	211.01	158	n.q.	192	189.23	n.q.	n.q.	198	3.18	125.19	
March	3.96	145.50	87.03	207.17	150	159.10	179	187.98	n.q.	n.q.	182	3.13	123.22	
April	3.92	144.04	84.07	196.19	151	160.57	182	188.70	n.q.	n.q.	192	3.10	122.04	
May	3.57	131.18	78.13	181.36	138	150.47	181	166.50	n.q.	n.q.	193	2.94	115.74	
June	3.47	127.50	69.78	156.62	132	156.53	175	156.45	n.q.	n.q.	195	3.07	120.86	
July	3.98	146.24	77.36	166.42	147	167.18	185	164.02	n.q.	n.q.	n.q.	3.22	126.76	
August	4.37	160.56	92.35	192.22	168	185.92	196	183.50	n.q.	n.q.	n.q.	3.46	136.21	
1974														
September 1974 -	64.84	148.64	144	161	135	409	255.03	255.03	255.03	255.03	255	165		
August 1975 average														
1974														
August	70.38	162.51	156	167	144	521	295.79	n.q.	n.q.	n.q.	320	197		
September	70.80	161.51	152	158	141	516	288.44	n.q.	n.q.	n.q.	303	186		
October	74.47	170.74	166	171	161	499	341.36	341.36	341.36	341.36	335	210		
November	73.08	158.61	163	176	163	453	284.40	323.16	323.16	323.16	312	165		
December	72.29	165.85	159	171	160	430	278.88	306.00	306.00	306.00	288	184		
1975														
January	64.35	150.79	147	166	143	398	246.18	262.31	262.31	262.31	256	156		
February	55.10	129.97	137	149	128	404	218.26	237.27	237.27	237.27	231	148		
March	56.14	133.65	135	152	125	396	216.42	224.70	224.70	224.70	228	164		
April	n.q.	n.q.	130	157	127	380	222.67	230.80	230.80	230.80	229	153		
May	n.q.	n.q.	123	151	116	388	202.09	207.50	207.50	207.50	209	149		
June	52.50	118.00	130	154	120	351	200.62	203.90	203.90	203.90	207	150		
July	n.q.	n.q.	141	164	118	329	216.79	223.45	223.45	223.45	224	157		
August	n.q.	n.q.	147	166	135	347	232.59	244.88	244.88	244.88	243	175		

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Table 44.--Selected price series of international significance--continued

Year and month	Cotton, American, Memphis territory, strict middling, 1-1/16 inches, c.i.f. Liverpool	Imported cow meat, 90-percent lean, frozen, boneless, f.o.b. U.S., port of entry	Coffee, from Santos, No. 4, New York, spot	Santos No. 4 coffee, f.o.b. Santos	Sugar, cane, 96°, spot, New York	Sugar, cane, raw, 96°, spot, f.o.b. and stoned, port of origin	Cocoa beans from Accra, New York, spot	No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets, New York, spot	Rubber,	
	¢/lb.	\$/m.t.	¢/lb.	\$/m.t.	¢/lb.	\$/m.t.	¢/lb.	\$/m.t.	¢/lb.	\$/m.t.
September 1974 - August 1975 average:	56.31	1,241	58.33	1,286	69.05	1,559	69.34	1,534	31.97	705
1974										
August	64.26	1,416	72.84	1,606	64.50	1,422	64.50	1,422	32.60	718
September	60.46	1,332	63.37	1,397	62.90	1,387	60.85	1,342	33.71	743
October	57.97	1,278	62.83	1,385	64.53	1,423	64.58	1,423	38.83	856
November	53.65	1,183	60.02	1,323	65.49	1,444	65.53	1,445	57.30	1,263
December	52.27	1,152	57.33	1,264	69.90	1,541	66.77	1,538	46.74	1,030
1975										
January	51.24	1,129	51.96	1,145	70.50	1,554	68.22	1,504	40.15	885
February	52.58	1,142	52.02	1,147	69.80	1,538	67.01	1,477	36.07	795
March	53.76	1,125	51.85	1,143	69.95	1,542	68.80	1,517	28.52	629
April	56.25	1,206	58.10	1,281	69.00	1,521	67.43	1,487	26.07	575
May	56.10	1,237	62.12	1,370	70.61	1,557	72.16	1,590	19.27	425
June	57.56	1,269	60.45	1,333	73.43	1,619	72.19	1,592	15.96	352
July	60.78	1,340	61.08	1,347	69.00	1,521	65.56	1,445	19.89	438
August	63.14	1,392	58.88	1,298	93.50	2,061	93.07	2,051	21.11	465

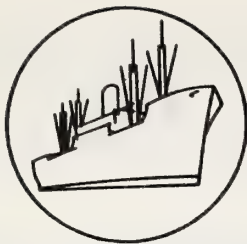
n.q. = No quotation.

1/ Offering prices.

2/ C.i.f. Tilbury. During August and September, prices are available for Glasgow.

3/ New York spot price minus .625 cents duty and minus freight and insurance from Caribbean to New York.

Sources: Monthly Bulletin in Agricultural Economics and Statistics, FAO; Rice Trade Intelligence, FAO; The Public Ledger, London; Grain Market News, ANS, USDA; Rice Market News, ANS, USDA; Foreign Agriculture, FAS, USDA; Bangkok Board of Trade; Reuters; Cotton and General Economic Review, Liverpool; The National Provisioner, Chicago; The Wall Street Journal, The Journal of Commerce, New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange; Bureau of Labor Statistics, Spot Market Prices; and Oil World, Hamburg.



SPECIAL in this issue

EXPORTS TO USSR DOWN SHARPLY IN FY 1975:
RECORD LIKELY IN FY 1976

by

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U.S. sales of agricultural products to the Soviet Union totaled \$410 million in fiscal 1975, down 30 percent from the \$585-million level of fiscal 1974 and sharply below the record \$954-million level of fiscal 1973. (Data include values of goods transshipped through Canada.)

U.S. agricultural sales to the Soviets have been particularly unstable since the 1971/72 grain purchases. The Soviets experienced a very poor harvest in 1972, and large purchases of corn, wheat, and soybeans were necessary to maintain the livestock industry. Strong Soviet consumer demand for meat and the expense of rebuilding livestock numbers make massive slaughter an extremely unsatisfactory option for the Soviet leadership. Despite sizable imports of grains from the United States, some reduction in livestock holdings occurred during the winter of 1972/73. However, widespread slaughter was averted.

Total U.S. agricultural sales to the Soviets declined after 1972/73. The shipments of some 1972/73 purchases in late 1973, and some "insurance-type" buying in 1973 helped hold our fiscal 1974 exports to the USSR at a substantial level, despite a record 1973 grain crop there. Although 1974 was only an average year for Soviet agriculture, the level of grain imports from the United States fell during fiscal 1975, partly because of the temporary U.S. limitations on sales to the Soviets in October 1974.

Fiscal 1976 Exports

In comparison with fiscal 1975, fiscal 1976 is already a boom year for agricultural trade with the Soviet Union. Grain sales reached almost 10 million tons by July 31, 1975, and more sales may be expected pending conclusion of the long-term grain agreement with the Soviets. The July sales by U.S. firms include 4.2 million tons of wheat, 4.5 million of corn, and 1.1 million of barley, on an "all-origin" basis, which means that grain could be supplied from non-U.S. production.

1/ Soviet Union Program Area, Foreign Demand and Competition Division, Economic Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The dramatic increase in sales this fiscal year underlines the sporadic nature of Soviet demand for U.S. agricultural products, primarily grains. Recent experience, however, suggests the USSR is likely to be a continuing market for substantial quantities of U.S. grains, due to its current inability to produce sufficient grain domestically. Recent demand increases have outstripped Soviet abilities to increase production, and there has been a greater willingness on the part of the leadership to attempt to satisfy these demands by imports.

The Soviets traditionally have been reluctant to discuss crop conditions or to make requirements known ahead of time to potential suppliers, in large part to avoid the possibility of commodity price rises in seller countries. This reluctance makes it extremely difficult to forecast Soviet demand for U.S. agricultural products.

U.S. agricultural imports from the USSR are quite small in comparison with exports, reaching only \$7.5 million in fiscal 1975, but up from about \$6 million in fiscal 1974. U.S. imports are primarily furskins, although a substantial amount of casein was purchased in fiscal 1975. Imports of some items, such as wine and champagne, are expected to rise, but substantial increases in imports of agricultural products from the USSR are not expected in the near future.

Table 45.--Selected U.S. agricultural exports to the USSR, 1971/72-1974/75 1/

Commodity	Quantity				Value			
	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75 2/	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75 2/
		-- 1,000 metric tons --				-- 1,000 dollars --		
Wheat	3	9,485	2,725	978	731	566,385	218,999	194,162
Corn	1,977	3,718	4,519	1,261	106,502	209,476	283,544	171,881
Rye	---	238	560	30	---	15,644	52,115	2,920
Barley	657	206	78	---	27,103	9,452	7,947	1
Oats	311	37	---	---	12,576	1,355	---	2
Total grain	2,948	3/13,685	4/7,883	5/2,279	6/146,915	7/802,615	8/563,123	9/373,753
Soybeans	---	924	25	---	1	134,138	7,093	1
Citrus fruit	---	5	3	11	---	1,096	661	2,346
Nuts	2	1	1	3	1,206	1,063	3,841	5,912
Hops	---	1	1	1	---	1,710	2,186	1,816
Whole cattle hides (1,000 pieces)	579	343	171	717	6,509	8,298	3,203	8,108
Inedible tallow	---	---	---	39	---	---	---	13,640
Linseed oil	---	21	10	---	---	4,626	2,660	---
Total value of exports	---	---	---	---	157,077	954,381	584,754	409,708

--- = Insignificant or none.

1/ Includes transshipments through Canada, except as noted.

2/ All 1974/75 figures are preliminary.

3/ Includes 711 metric tons of grain sorghum--seed.

4/ Includes 1,092 metric tons of grain sorghum--seed.

5/ Includes 10,141 metric tons of rice.

6/ Includes \$3,000 for grain sorghum--seed.

7/ Includes \$303,000 for grain sorghum--seed.

8/ Includes \$518,000 for grain sorghum--seed.

9/ Includes \$4,787,000 for rice.

Table 46---Selected U.S. agricultural imports from the USSR, 1971/72-1974/75

Commodity	Quantity				Value			
	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75
	--- 1,000 metric tons ---				--- 1,000 dollars ---			
Furskins (1,000 pieces)	N/A	N/A	133	191	2,741	3,562	3,084	2,971
Molasses	---	---	6	---	---	---	468	---
Candy and confectionary	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	7
Sunflowerseed oil	---	---	---	---	---	---	6	2
Gelatin	---	---	1	---	---	71	431	194
Casein	---	---	1	2	---	19	391	2,541
Total imports	---	---	---	---	3,068	4,634	5,976	7,526

--- = Insignificant or none.

N/A = Not available.

Table 47 .--U.S. agricultural exports and imports: Value by country,
July-August 1974 and 1975

Country	Exports		Imports		Country		Exports		Imports	
	1974	1975	1974	1975			1974	1975	1974	1975
World 1/	3,084,014	3,132,781	1,752,346	1,449,753	Europe--Continued				-- 1,000 dollars --	
Major Trade Blocs:										
CACM	20,808	22,015	102,298	111,134	Sweden		16,394	14,040	3,659	2,691
LATFA	255,998	235,016	375,146	377,112	Norway		11,431	13,000	3,548	4,508
EC-9	700,750	806,831	176,519	157,446	Finland		5,887	3,693	3,028	3,205
EASTERN EUROPE, EXCL. USSR	71,904	65,966	17,576	38,553	Denmark		12,410	12,992	30,171	32,776
					United Kingdom		59,153	81,774	19,731	13,100
					Ireland		5,895	1,501	5,513	1,750
					Netherlands		250,805	257,219	33,639	32,760
Greenland	0	0	0	0	Belgium-Luxembourg		30,552	28,297	4,452	4,452
Canada 2/	190,228	218,993	90,600	70,215	France		72,416	59,832	35,703	34,150
Miquelon and St. Pierre Islands	0	0	0	0	West Germany		158,955	201,101	25,441	16,572
Mexico	145,692	60,950	123,451	66,241	East Germany		688	3,129	76	27
					Austria		1,531	2,231	2,924	3,203
Central America	35,108	30,479	115,501	119,208	Czechoslovakia		2,798	2,147	719	556
Guatemala	6,622	4,620	41,396	26,395	Hungary		2,456	2,549	1,982	2,099
Belize	830	704	4,044	2,470	Switzerland		24,744	19,917	6,800	6,231
El Salvador	4,425	3,654	8,672	21,098	Estonia		0	0	0	0
Honduras	2,579	6,937	17,044	20,348	Latvia		0	0	0	0
Nicaragua	2,265	1,188	9,123	12,802	Lithuania		0	0	0	0
Costa Rica	4,917	5,616	26,063	30,491	Poland		30,529	43,993	6,448	23,127
Panama	13,470	7,760	9,139	5,599	USSR		24,061	132,624	2,277	2,434
Canal Zone	0	0	20	5	Azores		10	4	2	0
					Spain		59,711	50,493	24,946	21,241
Caribbean	61,404	62,371	133,348	142,098	Portugal		19,158	32,406	7,032	4,926
Bermuda	2,935	3,036	0	6	Gibraltar		4	3	0	16
Bahamas	6,967	7,477	57	178	Malta-Gozo		8	238	0	0
Cuba	0	0	0	0	Italy		110,565	164,061	20,994	21,886
Jamaica	12,319	13,948	4,969	650	Yugoslavia		13,068	846	6,121	10,236
Haiti	4,587	6,314	3,943	3,333	Albania		73	0	0	16
Dominican Republic	18,464	13,865	109,544	127,681	Greece		11,779	21,038	5,313	6,461
Leeward-Windward Islands	1,378	1,097	140	127	Romania		21,966	12,918	2,047	1,782
Barbados	911	1,078	36	4,330	Bulgaria		325	384	184	710
Trinidad-Tobago	8,863	9,470	11,720	5,715						
Netherlands Antilles	4,530	5,547	2,905	9	Asia		1,334,881	1,139,744	497,790	237,453
French West Indies	450	539	34	69	Turkey		24,280	625	12,893	16,638
					Cyprus		2,044	244	49	26
South America	114,307	178,679	256,641	313,045	Syrian Arab Republic		2,313	12,321	299	186
Colombia	18,672	16,501	43,819	83,295	Lebanon		5,322	3,527	1,485	1,722
Venezuela	18,056	47,567	4,955	5,597	Iraq		18,154	9,237	71	66
Guyana	2,669	2,401	4,846	2,141	Iran		80,397	33,929	16,273	16,042
Surinam	1,265	2,166	100	33	Israel		36,366	58,896	911	1,549
French Guiana	67	46	0	0	Jordan		1,945	3,932	0	0
Ecuador	4,570	9,837	22,477	27,167	Gaza Strip		37	0	0	0
Peru	24,846	25,116	30,838	34,706	Kuwait		1,074	798	0	0
Bolivia	4,813	1,057	198	769	Saudi Arabia		18,065	11,407	166	0
Chile	12,601	6,010	2,097	1,439	Qatar		126	171	0	0
Brazil	24,938	67,087	120,098	141,347	United Arab Emirates		1,373	1,038	14	2
Paraguay	238	105	2,528	2,160	Yemen Arab Republic		438	0	438	0
Uruguay	207	148	350	260	Yemen (Aden)		1,854	10	79	43
Argentina	1,365	638	24,335	14,131	Oman		47	172	0	0
Other South America	0	0	0	0	Bahrain		706	516	0	0
					Afghanistan		9	2	204	392
Europe	948,334	1,163,018	253,728	251,082	India		158,013	145,611	30,824	14,741
Iceland	962	588	104	167	Pakistan		26,876	17,181	347	18

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Table 48.--Quantity indexes: U.S. agricultural exports,
fiscal years 1968-75, monthly and accumulated, July 1974 to date

Year and month	Animals and animal products	Cotton and linters	Tobacco, unmanu- factured	Grains and feeds	Vegetable oils and oilseeds	Fruits and vegetables	All agricultural commodities ^{1/}
-- (Calendar year 1967 = 100) --							
1968/69	110	69	100	85	106	93	92
1969/70	101	75	101	97	148	109	106
1970/71	117	98	98	106	157	103	115
1971/72	134	89	94	103	159	107	115
1972/73	126	126	102	167	182	118	152
1973/74	126	155	118	178	186	131	165
1974/75	141	103	111	151	177	145	149
July-August:							
1974/75	138	107	104	133	185	145	148
1975/76	122	109	70	145	180	144	144
-- Adjusted for seasonal variation ^{2/} --							
Monthly 1974/75:							
July	142	181	115	199	202	142	181
August	127	169	113	144	170	135	140
September	116	96	86	129	210	127	135
October	131	76	111	148	132	135	141
November	122	98	111	162	183	131	150
December	134	85	123	156	165	130	146
January	157	96	138	177	262	150	181
February	155	94	95	162	168	158	152
March	150	74	130	149	173	159	141
April	159	90	117	146	186	162	148
May	158	110	105	113	161	165	134
June	137	136	79	122	118	147	129
1975/76:							
July	144	145	64	143	231	149	157
August	127	156	98	169	252	147	165
September							
October							
November							
December							
January							
February							
March							
April							
May							
June							
-- Not adjusted for seasonal variation --							
1974/75:							
July	151	131	102	141	214	154	168
August	124	83	107	124	156	136	129
September	121	41	91	118	139	130	119
October	150	40	145	123	192	167	142
November	141	90	173	155	317	155	181
December	153	115	156	148	251	135	165
January	157	135	139	187	284	134	190
February	148	126	79	154	198	134	155
March	165	113	122	147	213	153	151
April	160	117	105	138	216	155	153
May	165	115	96	113	155	169	132
June	139	127	71	128	106	171	128
1975/76:							
July	128	114	53	138	180	152	141
August	116	104	86	151	180	137	148
September							
October							
November							
December							
January							
February							
March							
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May							
June							

^{1/} Based on 359 classifications in 1971.

^{2/} The seasonal adjustment series has been revised to incorporate the Bureau of the Census Method X-11. This method of adjusting for seasonal variations is a continuing system which takes into account changing seasonal patterns. For detailed explanation of the adjustment procedures, see U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, The X-11 Variant of the Seasonal Method II Seasonal Adjustment Program, Technical Paper No. 15, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1965.

Table 49.--Quantity indexes: U.S. agricultural imports,
fiscal years 1968-75, monthly and accumulated, July 1974 to date

Year and month	Supplementary 1/					Complementary 1/			All agricultural commodities
	Animals and animal products	Grains and feeds	Vegetable oils and oilseeds	Sugar, molasses, and syrups	Total	Cocoa, coffee, and tea	Rubber and allied gums	Total	
	-- (Calendar year 1967 = 100) --								
1967/68	108	92	97	102	105	104	107	104	105
1968/69	115	96	105	103	110	100	127	103	107
1969/70	121	131	104	107	116	101	131	104	111
1970/71	114	136	111	113	118	98	124	101	111
1971/72	115	145	119	118	122	105	138	108	116
1972/73	127	122	129	109	128	111	136	112	121
1973/74	127	102	104	116	128	107	146	109	121
1974/75	102	175	124	100	125	77	143	91	111
July-August:									
1974/75	107	316	125	156	143	84	167	100	125
1975/76	112	244	156	94	133	98	153	106	122

1/ Supplementary agricultural imports consist of all imports similar to agricultural commodities produced commercially in the United States together with all other agricultural imports interchangeable to any significant extent with such U.S. commodities. Complementary agricultural imports include all other, about 98 percent of which consist of rubber, coffee, raw silk, cacao beans, wool for carpets, bananas, tea, and vegetable fibers. 2/ The seasonal adjustment series has been revised to incorporate the Bureau of the Census Method X-11. This method of adjusting for seasonal variations is a continuing system which takes into account changing seasonal patterns. For detailed explanation of the adjustment procedures, see U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, The X-11 Variant of the Seasonal Method II Seasonal Adjustment Program, Technical Paper No. 15, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 1965.

Explanatory Note

U.S. foreign agricultural trade statistics in this report include official U.S. data based on compilations of the Bureau of the Census. Agricultural commodities consist of (1) nonmarine food products and (2) other products of agriculture which have not passed through complex processes of manufacture such as raw hides and skins, fats and oils, and wine. Such manufactured products as textiles, leather, boots and shoes, cigarettes, naval stores, forestry products, and distilled alcoholic beverages are not considered agricultural.

The trade statistics exclude shipments between the 50 States and Puerto Rico, between the 50 States and the island possessions, between Puerto Rico and the island possessions, among the island possessions, and intransit through the United States from one foreign country to another when documented as such through U.S. Customs.

EXPORTS The export statistics also exclude shipments to the U.S. armed forces and diplomatic missions abroad for their own use and supplies for vessels and planes engaged in foreign trade. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are not compiled, by commodity and are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in non-agricultural and overall export totals in this report. The agricultural export statistics include shipments under P.L. 83-480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act), and related laws; under P.L. 87-195 (Act for International Development); and involving Government payments to exporters. (USDA payments are excluded from the export value.) Separate statistics on Government program exports are compiled by USDA from data obtained from operating agencies.

The export value, the value at the port of exportation, is based on the selling price (or cost if not sold) and includes inland freight, insurance, and other charges to the port. The country of destination is the country of ultimate destination or where the commodities are to be consumed, further processed, or manufactured. When the shipper does not know the ultimate destination, the shipments are credited to the last country, as known to him at the time of shipment from the United States, to which the commodities are to be shipped in their present form. Except for Canada, export shipments valued at \$251-\$999 are included on the basis of sampling estimates; shipments to Canada valued at \$251-\$1,999 are sampled.

IMPORTS Imports for consumption are a combination of entries for immediate consumption and withdrawals from warehouses for consumption. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are estimated on the basis of a 1-percent sample and are not compiled by commodity. They are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in nonagricultural and overall import totals in this report.

The import value, defined generally as the market value in the foreign country, excludes import duties, ocean freight, and marine insurance. The country of origin is defined as the country where the commodities were grown or processed. When the country of origin is not known, the imports are credited to the country of shipment.

Imports similar to agricultural commodities produced commercially in the United States and others that are interchangeable in use to any significant extent with such U.S. commodities are supplementary or partly competitive. All other commodities are complementary or noncompetitive.

Further explanatory material on foreign trade statistics and compilation procedures of the Bureau of the Census is contained in the publications of that agency.

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